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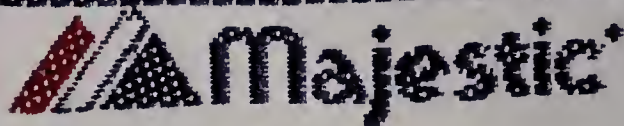
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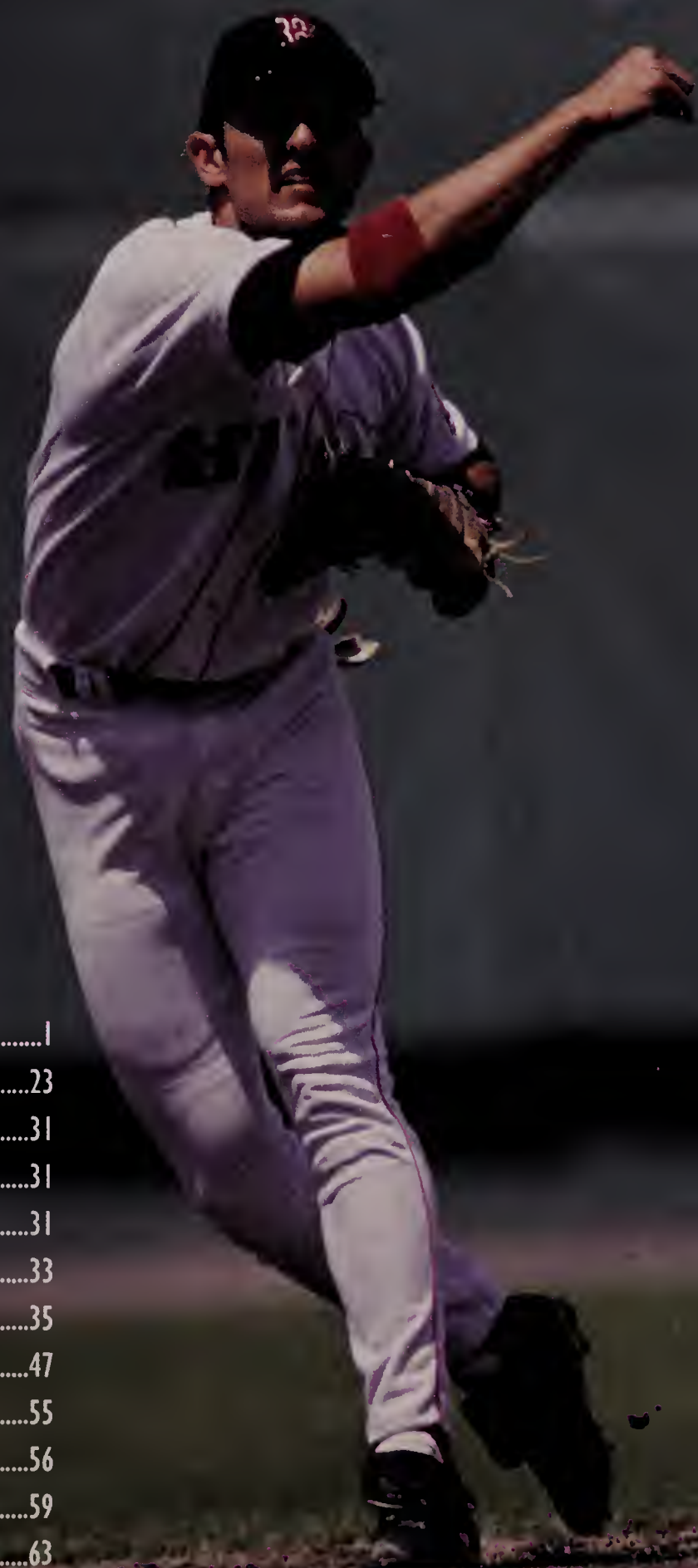
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'99 BOSTON RED SOX

Duquette Acquisitions Key to Team's Success

When the 1999 Red Sox began spring training in February, they were not expected to be serious contenders for a post-season berth. Even though General Manager Dan Duquette and Manager Jimmy Williams stated that they liked the makeup of the team and believed the club could be successful, most observers viewed the Red Sox chances with skepticism.

Duquette wasted little time after the end of the 1998 season before signing free agents Jose Offerman and pitchers Mark Portugal, Pat Rapp, Mark Guthrie and Rheal Cormier. Offerman's offensive capabilities as a leadoff hitter and base runner were needed by the Red Sox, and the veterans Portugal, Rapp, Guthrie and Cormier would add depth to the pitching staff.

Brian Daubach was signed as a minor league free agent and invited to spring training. The Red Sox liked Daubach's progress as a minor league hitter and gave him a chance despite his appearing in only 10 major league games in nine professional seasons.

The gamble proved to be a highly profitable one as Daubach displayed some extraordinary mid-season hitting heroics while capably alternating first base duties with Mike Stanley.

Even though the Red Sox had an 18-10 spring training record, the regular season began with most prognosticators relegating the club to a fourth-place Eastern Division finish. The Red Sox stayed around the .500 mark through April, then surprised with a strong May that put them close to the Yankees for first place.

Williams expertly maneuvered the players to take up the slack when injuries occurred to pitchers Tom Gordon and Bret Saberhagen and position players such as Nomar Garciaparra, Scott Hatteberg, Jeff Frye, John Valentin and Reggie Jefferson. Given the opportunity, Jason Varitek developed into one of the league's best all-around catchers and contributed with some timely and outstanding batting clout. Tim Wakefield became a tremendous stabilizer on the pitching staff when he took over Gordon's closer role, then spot started and pitched in long relief when needed.

At the same time Nomar and



Pedro maintained their standings as two of baseball's premier performers. Pedro's tremendous pitching enabled the team to avoid lengthy losing streaks, and Nomar was consistently productive at bat and in the field. Their clutch efforts the final month provided the club's impetus into post-season play.

Duquette added pitchers from the minor league system and also adroitly acquired help in the form of pitchers Bryce Florie, Kent Mercker and Rod Beck for the stretch drive. The addition of slugger Butch Huskey from Seattle came at a critical time when the Red Sox needed offensive help, and Huskey immediately contributed to two key wins in Toronto.

Also, Duquette had signed Pedro's older brother Ramon, one of the National League's best starters, who was sidelined in 1998 with an arm injury that needed surgery. After months of rehab, Ramon was added to the team by late August and made some promising appearances when

building the 1999 team

General Manager Dan Duquette at the press conferences announcing the Red Sox off-season acquisitions of Jose Offerman and Ramon Martinez.



the staff was shorthanded.

As the Red Sox showed that they could evenly compete with the Yankees and the other top teams in the league, their fans began to believe that this team had a legitimate chance for post-season play. Different players kept coming up with the big play, or hit, or pitch contributing to the team's success. It seemed there was a new hero almost every game and the fans responded enthusiastically.

It certainly is a "team" in the true

sense of the word as Duquette's acquisitions were skillfully blended together with the rest of the team by Williams. And now these ingredients, combined with a determined and winning attitude, have landed the Red Sox in the post-season in consecutive years for the first time since their World Championship seasons of 1915 and 1916. ■

RED SOX MAIN ACQUISITIONS SINCE 1998 SEASON

Here are some of the important additions made by General Manager Dan Duquette and his baseball staff on the major and minor league levels.

Creighton Gubanich — signed as a minor league free agent to a Pawtucket contract November 8, 1998 and invited to spring training.

Jose Offerman — signed as a free agent November 13, 1998.

Mark Portugal — signed as a free agent December 9, 1999.

Mark Guthrie — signed as a free agent December 18, 1998.

Brian Daubach — signed as a minor league free agent to a Pawtucket contract December 18, 1998 and invited to spring training.

Rheal Cormier — signed as a free agent January 5, 1999 to a one-year minor league contract and invited to spring training.

Pat Rapp — signed as a free agent January 11, 1999.

Ramon Martinez — signed as a free agent March 11, 1999.

Butch Huskey — acquired from Seattle Mariners July 26, 1999 for minor league LHP Robert Ramsay.

Bryce Florie — acquired from Detroit Tigers July 31, 1999 for minor league LHP Mike Maroth.

Kent Mercker — acquired from St. Louis Cardinals August 24, 1999 for minor league players C David Benham and LHP Mike Matthews.

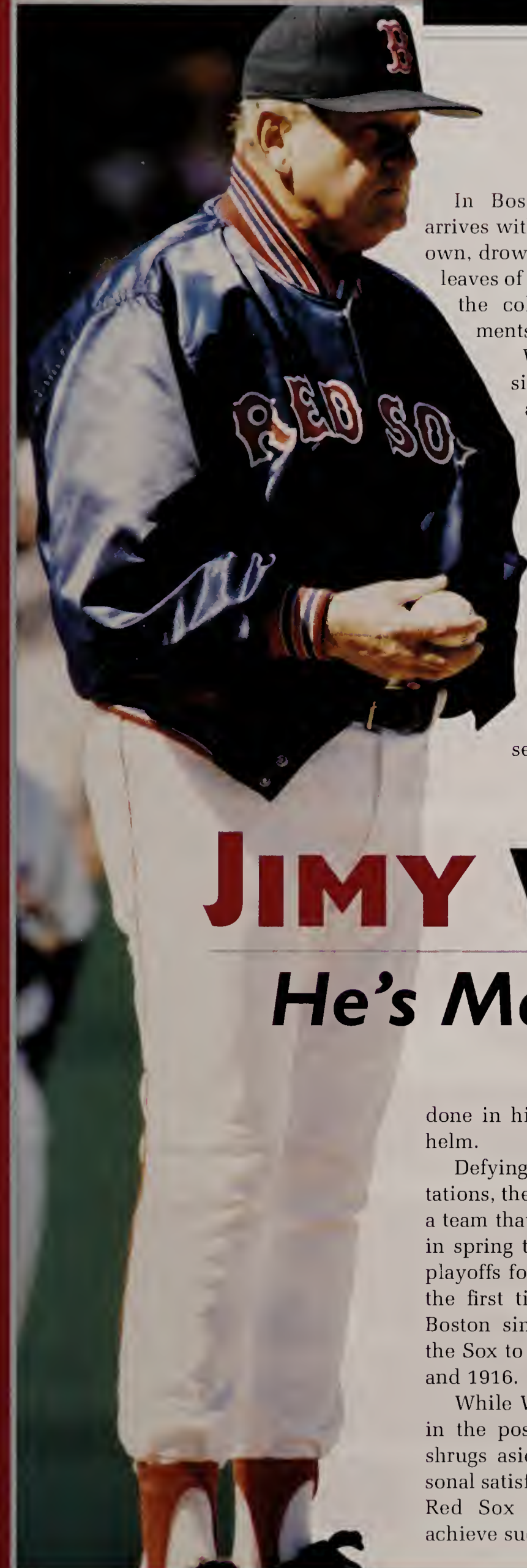
Rod Beck — acquired from Chicago Cubs August 31, 1999 for LHP Mark Guthrie and a player-to-be-named later (Cole Liniak).

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For the past two Octobers, though, the hottest club on Lansdowne Street has been the Red Sox, thanks in large part to Manager Jimmy Williams, who has drawn rave reviews throughout the majors this season for the job he has

"Never thought about it," Williams insisted. "We play the schedule and see how many games we can win. We have some goals that we want to attain, and one is the opportunity to play in October."

To Williams, baseball is a game of team accomplishments, not individual rewards. His ability to get that point across to his players has been the foundation for the Red Sox success this season, reaffirming Williams' status as one of the premier managers in the majors today.

Nowhere is Williams more respected than in his own clubhouse, where youngsters like outfielder Trot Nixon, catcher Jason Varitek and first baseman Brian Daubach blossomed into productive regulars this season while established commodities such as Nomar Garciaparra, Troy O'Leary and Darren Lewis continued to thrive

JIMMY WILLIAMS

He's Managing Quite Well

done in his third year at the Boston helm.

Defying national pre-season expectations, the Red Sox skipper has taken a team that many had dismissed back in spring training and led it into the playoffs for the second year in a row, the first time that has happened in Boston since Bill Carrigan managed the Sox to World Series titles in 1915 and 1916.

While Williams is glad to be back in the post-season hunt, he quickly shrugs aside suggestions of any personal satisfaction in becoming the first Red Sox manager in 83 years to achieve such a Fenway feat.

under Williams' even-handed approach.

"For me personally, I can't say anything but good things because he believed in me and let me go out there and play when Scottie (Hatteberg) got hurt," Varitek said of Williams. "He put me in there every day and got me the opportunity, along with the confidence, to believe that I can play at this level every day."

"He's one of those managers who will do whatever he can for you," said Nixon, who struggled at the plate to start the season before surging over the final two months with the help of Williams and batting coach Jim Rice.

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"He's a straightforward kind of guy and cares about everyone in this clubhouse," Nixon added. "He wants the best for everybody, and he wants to win."

"He has extreme confidence in everybody, and I think that's what drives a lot of these ballplayers. It's driven me...I love to play for this guy."

It's a sentiment shared throughout the Boston clubhouse, regarding Williams, who may have turned 56 on October 4, but remains as active in his daily dealings with his coaches and players as when he tackled his first managing assignment with the California Angels' minor league Quad Cities affiliate in 1974.

Signed to his first minor league contract by Boston in 1964 out of Fresno State University, Williams still works up a bigger sweat in batting practice than many of his players, hanging around the batting cage with a rear pocket full of baseballs and hitting fungoes, or working individually with players on their fundamentals in the field and at the plate.

"I think you have to try to be a good instructor first," Williams said. "I want to be better, but I've learned some things from a lot of people. I'll show some kids if I see some things that I feel will make them a little bit better."

It's the Williams way, something he first touched upon when he was intro-

duced as the 41st manager of the Red Sox back on November 19, 1996.

"It's not always the best team that wins," Williams said. "It's the most prepared team that wins."

There are arguably more talented teams that have made it to the post-season this fall, but there are none better prepared up and down the roster than the Red Sox, a result of Williams' confidence in his role players to get the job done as efficiently as his regulars when called upon.

"I feel good about our players here," Williams said, "that when they go out to play, we've got a chance to win, every one of them, and they feel that about each other."

"They're major league players. You gotta play them," he explained. "Can't let them rust on the bench too long. Otherwise you're not going to get the real player when he's got a chance to go out there. Plus you want to try to keep them thinking. If you don't play them for a long time, they're going to become disinterested, and that's understandable."

Rounding out his 20th straight year of either coaching or managing in the majors, Williams admits that his mix-and-match lineup combinations since coming to Boston wouldn't have worked while he was guiding the Toronto Blue Jays from 1986-89.



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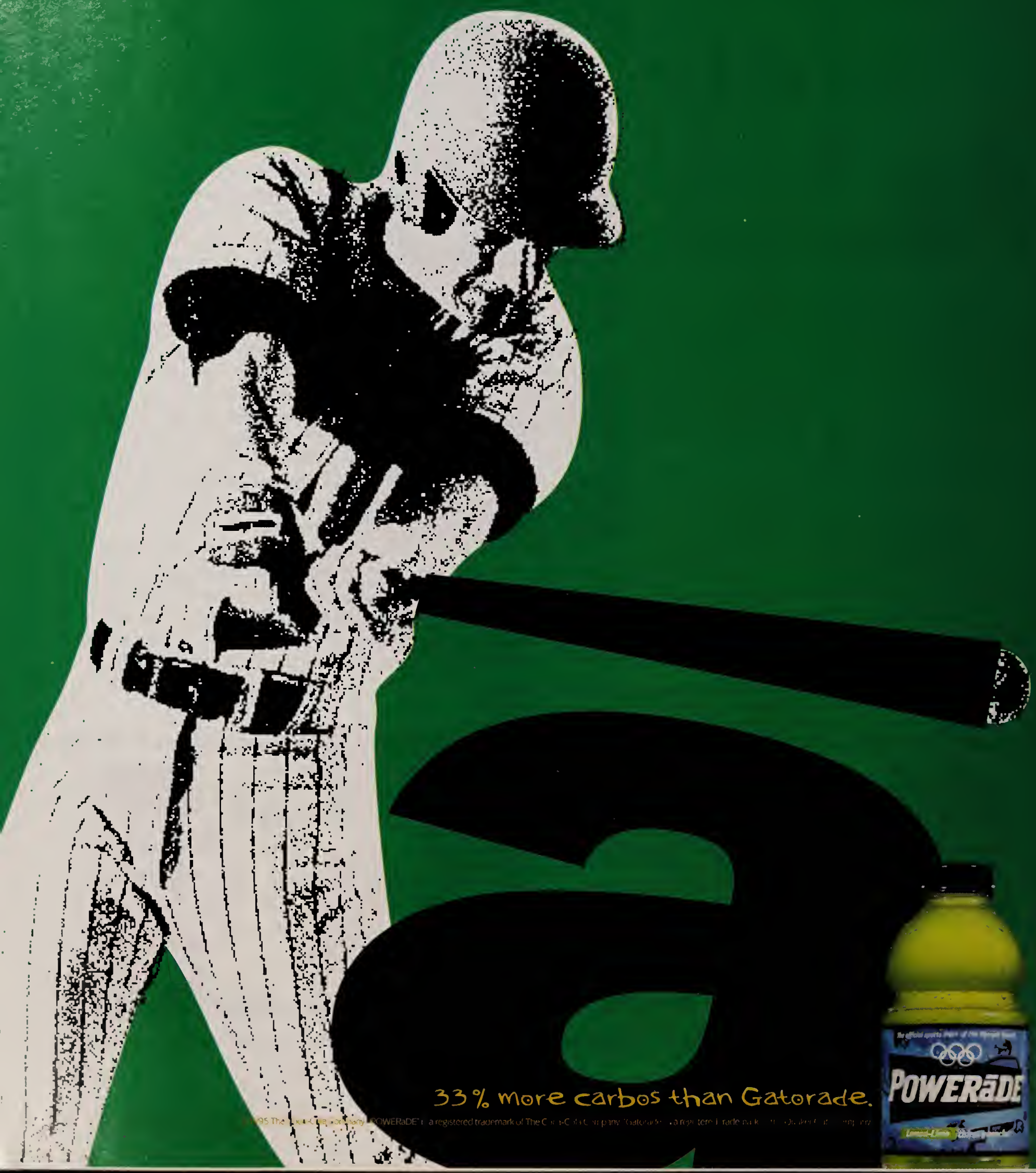
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"I've only been managing like this since I've been here," Williams said. "I've seen these players, and they've helped me think like that because of how they are. I thought we had the same thing last year — versatile players. That's why we play them in those other spots in spring training."

Such versatility has allowed the Red Sox to overcome a season-long rash of injuries that might have crippled other teams, as Boston has weathered such untimely losses as Nomar Garciaparra, Jeff Frye, Tom Gordon, Bret Saberhagen and John Valentin without skipping a beat.

"There are a lot of guys that are here that deserve to play every day, and he finds ways to try and get guys in there as much as possible," Varitek said. "He lets us play, and I think by letting us play, everybody learns what they have to do and goes out there and does it."

The veteran Lewis agrees, echoing the manner in which Williams' players have taken his words to heart.

"We've been resilient because we have guys who show up to play every day," Lewis said. "They know what it takes to get the job done, and that's not necessarily hitting the ball out of the ballpark. It's playing good fundamental baseball, it's doing whatever it takes to win that ballgame."

"We know what we have to do," Lewis added. "It's not like he has to reinforce that. It's not a situation where he's calling meetings and reminding us once a month what we have to do. We know what we have to do, and that's the way we go about our business."

Perhaps Williams' greatest asset as Red Sox skipper has been his ability



to blot out the daily distraction of dealing with Boston's relentless media, as well as the sometimes smothering attention of the Fenway Faithful. The two have fried many a man on the Red Sox hot seat in the past, but not Williams.

"Jimmy Williams is probably as consistent a human being as you would want to see," said Grady Little, Williams' bench coach for the past three seasons.

Little can appreciate Williams' success under fire, having managed for 16 seasons in the minors himself. None, though, as pressure-packed as just one season of managing in Boston can be.

"At this level, in a city like Boston, there are things that a minor league manager goes through that are magnified a great deal here," Little said. "The man deserves nothing but the ultimate respect for the way he han-

dles everything."

"He's the same if we lose five in a row, or if we win five in a row," Little added. "I think that's very important, because the major league player that you're dealing with in 1999 needs that stability. There are a lot of things going on in their lives, personally and professionally, where a lot of things are weighing on them."

The pressure to succeed in Boston can become consuming for any pro athlete. Realizing that, Williams has steadfastly shouldered the heat rather than leave any of his players to hang out to dry.

It's one of the reasons Williams commands such respect among his players. Another is the forthright frankness with which he deals with them.

"When you hear him talking to you, he's not blowing smoke," Nixon explained.

"He tells you what it is."

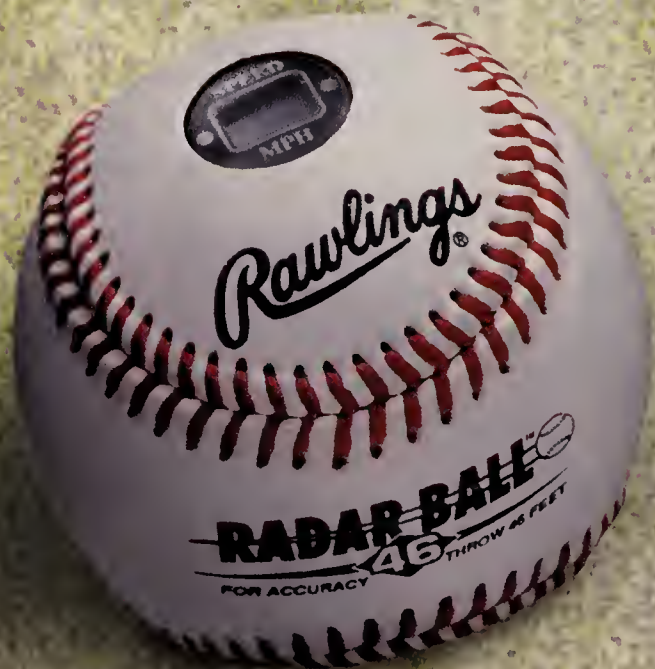
"That's what you want to hear," Nixon added. "You don't want to hear any beating around the bush or have it coming from anybody else. He gives it to you the way he thinks he should."

"You can either take it or you can leave it. Of course, with me being a first-year guy, he's been around awhile, so I'm gonna absorb everything."

Williams may be one of the majors' deans of the dugout, but he hasn't stopped trying to improve as a manager.

"Oh, I hope so. I'm trying to learn," he said with a smile. "These kids teach you. Other coaches and other players teach you. I always try to keep my eyes open, and whatever I teach or instruct, maybe I might learn a better way through somebody else, watching them."

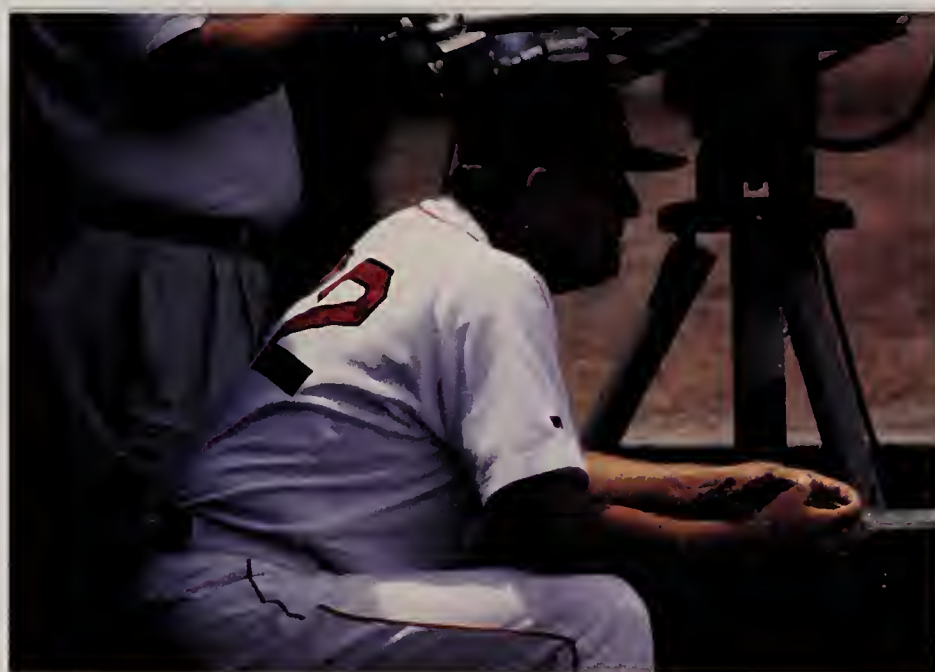
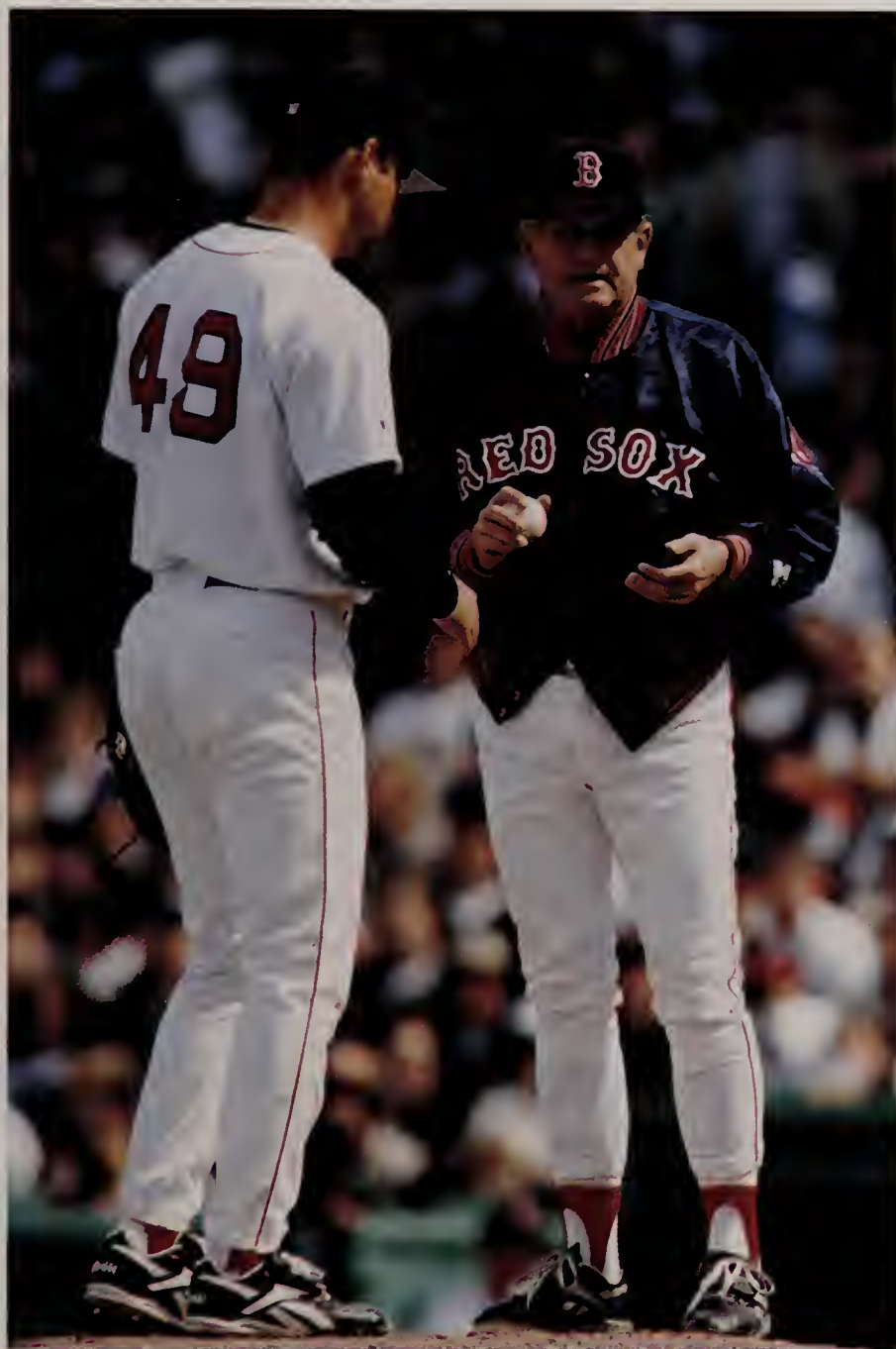
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"I feel good about our players here," Williams said, "that when they go out to play, we've got a chance to win, every one of them, and they feel that about each other."

"In a lot of ways, yeah," Williams said. "But they don't realize that."

"When you spend eight or nine months together, it's impossible to

"You can be 0 for 4 and still be instrumental in helping your team win that game because maybe you made productive outs, or maybe you made an outstanding defensive play or backed up a base. There are a lot of different ways. Maybe it's just by the way you run a ball out to try to beat the ball to first. There's no stat for them — the intangibles."

They may not show up in the box scores, but they have shown up in the win column for Boston this season. Now, the Red Sox have the opportunity to take the next step under Williams, with last October's first taste of a post-season winning game in a dozen years still fresh in their mouths.

Williams isn't content to rest on last year's laurels. He hopes his players feel the same.

"That's behind us," Williams said. "We're trying to do something this year. What we did last year at the end of the year was fine — a good group of players that did something, but this is now. We've got to think about now."

"If we can be better because of what happened last year, then it's going to make us better. That's the main thing."

For Williams, it's what managing in October is all about. ■

Whether that means Williams will be recognized as such when the votes are tallied for this season's A.L. Manager of the Year Award, remains to be seen, although he already has the endorsement of last year's top vote-getter, New York Yankees skipper Joe Torre.

As far as Little is concerned, Williams can let his Red Sox record speak for itself.

"I think at any level, in any league where you see a team that does better than what they were expected to do at the season's outset," Little said. "Then if you see that team achieve the things that we've achieved over the last couple of years, somebody's gotta take notice at something."

Awards mean little to Williams, whose only real concern is for his players. It's why Williams, a father of four himself who prizes spending his off-season time with his family, has come to consider his players as his extended family during the season.

have every day go by without a bump or a challenge. It just happens that way when you have 35 people together eight or nine months."

Williams doesn't have to think twice about what is the most enjoyable aspect of his job.

"Watching young people play hard out there and try and be successful, be a good teammate and try to help their team win that game that day," Williams said.

"How they handle adversity and how they fight back and be successful. I like to see young people be successful out here because this is not an easy game to play and be successful in."

But Williams' definition of success isn't based only on numbers.

"A lot of people have a lot of ways to evaluate what is successful," he explained. "Some people only think it's the stats, period, but that's not necessarily the case. That's not how my eyes perceive this game."

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1999 Red Sox Season *In Review*

From the first day of spring training, Red Sox Manager Jimmy Williams told one and all how much he liked his team.

Most snickered. What was to like? Boston didn't have enough power to contend for post-season play. The starting rotation was suspect enough without factoring in health concerns. And General Manager Dan Duquette hadn't landed the big-name superstar to compensate for the loss of Mo Vaughn.

But no one snickered in September as the Sox chased the mighty Yankees to the wire and held off the pesky Oakland A's to make their second straight playoff appearance.

The real story of 1999 is how the Red Sox fooled the "experts" and foiled their adversaries, overcoming injuries to key players, thanks to performances by overachievers.

The Sox rocketed out of the gate with five straight victories, opening the season with a sweep at Kansas City. The opening day hero was none other than Jose Offerman, a player signed not to replace Vaughn, but in response to the team's need for offense at the top of the order.

Offerman became an instant catalyst, going 4-for-5 in the opener and had eight extra-base hits in a 12-for-25 start which vaulted him toward selection to the A.L. All-Star team.

The opening day winner was Pedro Martinez,

who left little doubt that he would add an American League Cy Young Award to his 1997 National League Award.

Martinez was 15-3 at the All-Star break. He improved to 11-1 by striking out 16 Atlanta Braves on June 4. "One of the best games I've ever seen pitched," marveled Dennis Eckersley. "The most-dominating one-game performance I've seen against us," said Braves pitching coach Leo Mazzone.

Martinez was at his best in the All-Star Game, blowing away the first four hitters he faced, but was shelled in his next start, raising suspicions that something was amiss. Something was. Martinez was experiencing soreness in his right shoulder, but it was nothing two weeks on the D.L. wouldn't clear. He came back to pitch his finest ball in August and September, dominating the Yankees with a memorable one-hit, 17-strikeout performance on September 10. "The greatest game I've ever seen anyone pitch," remarked pitching coach Joe Kerrigan. It was part of a string of seven starts in which Martinez gave up just eight runs and fanned 110 in 64 innings.

"He's a very special athlete," Williams said. "He understands he has a gift, and he knows how to use it."

"I'm healthy, thank God for that," said Martinez, who was named A.L. Pitcher of the Month in April, May and June. "The rest is just baseball."

The Sox came back to earth after their 5-0 start,



Pedro Martinez



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dropping 13 of their next 20, but they took off again in May, playing their best ball against the toughest opposition. Boston went 20-8, their most wins in May since the 1986 pennant season.

Red Sox fans went into Opening Day with two fears concerning All-World shortstop Nomar Garciaparra:

1) that without better protection in the middle of the order he wouldn't see enough good pitches to hit. 2) that an elbow injury, suffered during spring training, might cause him problems.

The elbow was not a problem. Neither were opposing pitchers.

Garciaparra went 8-for-13 with 14 RBI in a three-game series against Seattle. That included his three-homer, 10-RBI game on May 10, part of a 14-game hitting streak. Typically, Garciaparra credited his teammates: "To hit three home runs is no big deal," he said. "But to hit two grand slams, you have to have men on base."

Although he missed nine games prior to the All-Star Game, Garciaparra would also put together a 17-game hit streak during June and July (going 10-for-11 in one stretch) to aid his quest for his first batting crown. By late September he'd hit 26 homers and drove in over 100 RBI.

Unfortunately, Tom Gordon did not have the same luck with his elbow which began acting up in spring training. Although the Red Sox relief ace picked up where he left off in 1997, extending his major league record streak to 54 consecutive regular-season saves, Flash was plagued by the elbow which landed him on the disabled list in June and all but



Jose Offerman

finished him for the season in July.

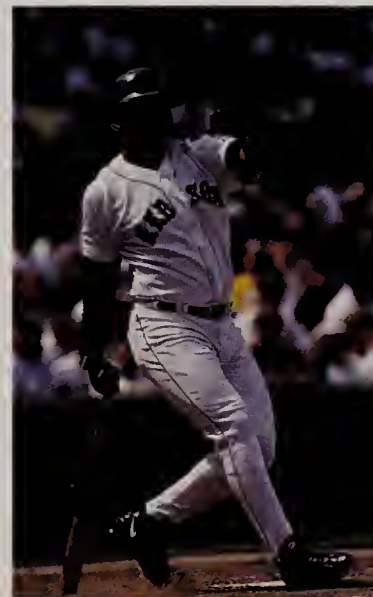
Without Gordon, who had saves in his first 10 chances, Williams turned to knuckleballer Tim Wakefield to close games. Wakefield, accustomed to pitching in relief, but not in closing situations, responded by successfully converting his first seven save chances. "Obviously, I want to win," Wakefield said at the time. "For the benefit of the club, I think this is the best move we can make."

Wakefield had 14 saves when more injuries necessitated his return to the starting rotation in August. Enter Derek Lowe, who took the closer's role to heart. It looked like Lowe might remain in the job for the rest of the season until Duquette made an Aug. 31 deal to acquire Rod Beck from the Cubs. Beck, who saved 51 games last season, added a new level of stability to the bullpen. In his seventh outing for Boston, Beck pitched three scoreless innings on September 14, keeping Cleveland at bay in a 13-inning Boston comeback victory and keeping intact his scoreless innings streak as a member of the Sox.

Lowe was exceptional all season, serving as both setup man and closer. On August 31 he recorded his 10th save, giving the Red Sox three closers with 10 saves or more for the first time in team history. In Lowe's first 107.1 innings he permitted just 83 hits while compiling a 6-3, 2.68 record with 15 saves.

Without Wakefield in the rotation for much of the season, Boston relied on Bret Saberhagen and a host of new faces.

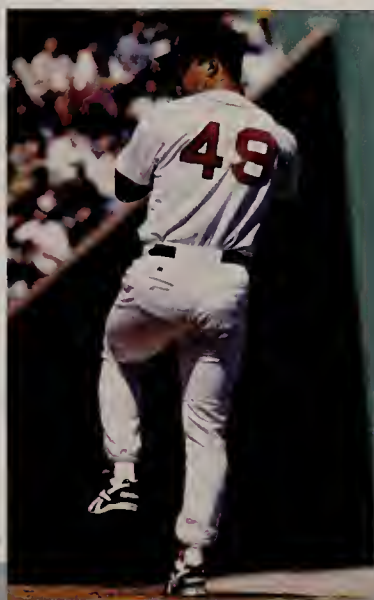
Saberhagen, a 15-game winner in '98, pitched just as well in '99 but lost conditioning time due to shoulder stiffness and a lacerated foot. In mid-August, despite a 9-5 record and pitching eight



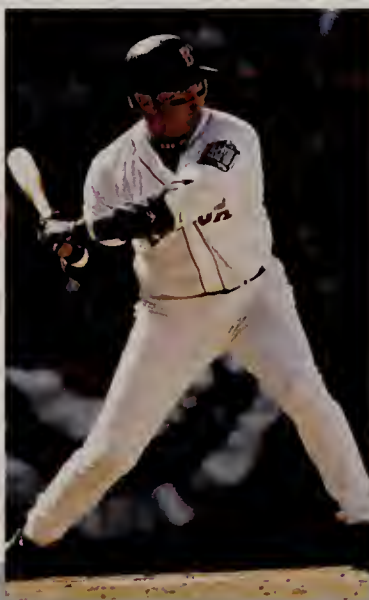
Troy O'Leary



Mike Stanley



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John Valentin



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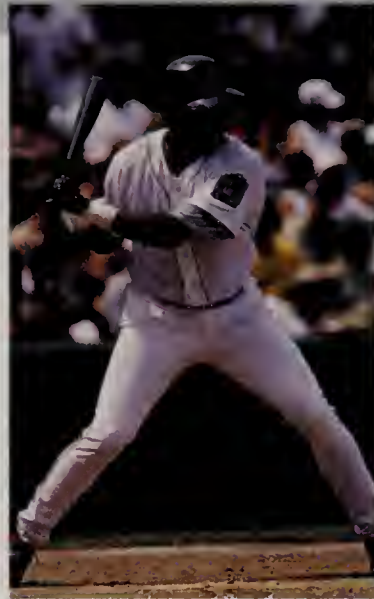
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Reggie Jefferson



Rheal Cormier



Damon Buford



Darren Lewis

innings at Kansas City, he was forced to shut down.

No stranger to rehab work, Saberhagen battled his way back into pitching shape and returned to the mound September 12 in New York. After a leadoff homer by Chuck Knoblauch, he pitched five scoreless innings, helping the Sox to their first three-game sweep at Yankee Stadium since 1986. In his next start, he blanked Detroit for six innings.

Pat Rapp, relegated to the bullpen after being roughed up in May, pitched some of his best ball down the stretch, going 4-0 in a seven-start span of August and September.

Mark Portugal, a cagey veteran, pitched 6 1/3 shutout innings in his first start of the season and turned in several other sparkling performances. But the season was not an easy one for Portugal, who, weighing personal problems against his baseball career, considered retirement in May.

When it came to pitching, the Sox had an ace in the hole with their farm system. During May the Sox suffered through a 2-5 trip to Minnesota and Oakland despite leading in every game. John Wasdin was summoned to help bolster the bullpen and won his first seven decisions, all in relief. Wasdin was not alone. Brian Rose got off to a 4-0 start, including seven shutout innings in a May 19 victory over the Yankees. Just six days later, he beat the Yankees again in New York and allowed one run in six innings. On June 11 he blanked the Mets for seven innings, retiring 14 of 15 batters at one point.

Then, there was rookie Juan Pena, who gave up one run in his first two major league starts, debuting with eight strikeouts in six innings against the Angels on May 7. Pena, however, was sidelined by arm problems after throwing blanks in his second start.



Trot Nixon

Third baseman Wilton Veras was called from AA Trenton on June 30, after John Valentin was beamed. Once settled in, Veras showed he could handle the double promotion with a potent bat and a strong arm at third.

That became increasingly important in September, when Valentin again landed on the D.L., this time with tendinitis in his left knee. Valentin, who hit two homers and drove in eight runs in the first five games of the season, gutted it out for most of the campaign. He contributed some big hits, including a game-winning, 12th-inning single after the Sox had blown a ninth-inning lead at Shea Stadium. Valentin also collected his 1,000th career hit on August 3 and played admirably in the field, but by late August, he realized he was no longer helping himself or the team by playing through the pain.

Other rookies played a huge role in Boston's success.

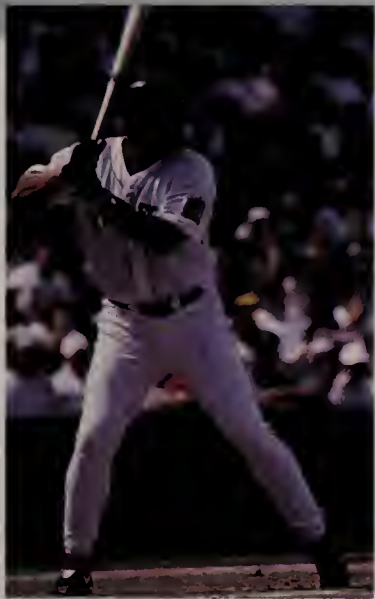
Brian Daubach turned into the steal of the century by Duquette. A first baseman/outfielder, Daubach impressed Williams with a batting stroke that had produced 35 homers and 124 RBI for AAA Charlotte last season, his ninth in the minors. It turned out, what Daubach needed most was a chance, and he got it in Boston.

His first home run was a game-winner at Toronto. He hit another game-winner on June 1 vs. Detroit. But his most memorable stretch came in August.

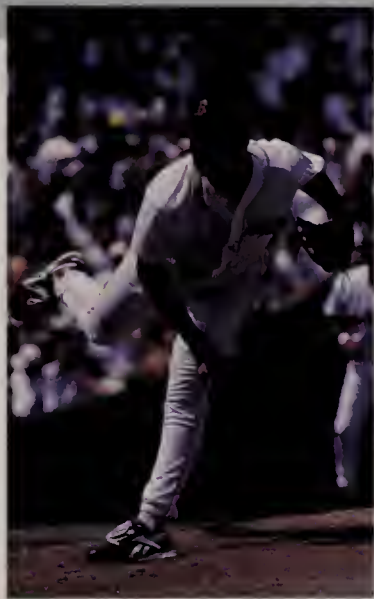
Named American League Player of the Week for August 9-15, Daubach drove in five runs on August 13, then had five hits and six RBI the next day. But he saved his most dramatic at-bat for August 16. After being named American League Player of the



Bret Saberhagen



Butch Huskey



Brian Rose



Rod Beck



Mark Portugal



John Wasdin



Tom Gordon

Week earlier that day, Daubach beat Oakland with a two-out, bases-loaded, ninth-inning double off the wall. The double came on the 10th pitch from A's reliever Tim Worrell, and one pitch after Daubach just missed pulling a grand slam down the right-field line. "It's been a dream season for me," Daubach said.

Trot Nixon became Boston's 10th opening day rightfielder in as many years. Although he started slowly, Williams stuck with him and was rewarded. There was a four-hit game vs. Toronto on May 22, a three-homer game at Detroit on July 24 and four homers in five games on Boston's make-or-break, 12-game trip in September.

While Nixon had his ups and downs at the plate, one constant was his play in the field. He learned his defensive lessons well from Darren

Lewis and Damon Buford, who continued to provide a steady centerfield tandem, often utilizing their speed and instincts to turn in spectacular catches.

Boston's most trying stretch of the season came early in June and coincided with Gordon's physical demise. After losing seven of eight against N.L. teams (outscored 26-4 in a three-game series at Montreal) and scoring just 15 runs in a seven-game stretch, Boston received a power boost from an unlikely duo. Lewis and Jeff Frye hit back-to-back, ninth-inning homers off Minnesota's Mike Trombley, providing a 4-3 victory over the Twins on June 14.

Other noteworthy events of 1999

- ♦ **April 12:** Boston extended Williams' contract through the 2000 season after the team's 5-1 start.
- ♦ **May 3:** Backup catcher Creighton Gubanich's first major league hit was a grand slam at Oakland.
- ♦ **May 15:** Red Sox unveiled plans for a new stadium. "The new ballpark allows us to compete on a more even playing field with the competition in our division," Duquette said. "Building a new ballpark is not an optional choice for the Red Sox or any other ballclub, but a necessity."
- ♦ **May 23:** Buford collected four RBI as the Sox swept three home games from the Blue Jays for the first time since 1979.
- ♦ **June 26:** Boston scored 11 runs in the first inning — three on a Daubach homer — on the way to a 17-1 victory over the White Sox. It was the most runs the Red Sox have scored in a first inning since 1933.
- ♦ **June 28:** Offerman hit two home runs from the right side of the plate. His grand slam helped him finish with a career-high six RBI vs. the White Sox.
- ♦ **July 13:** Pedro Martinez was the winning pitcher, but the real stars were Ted Williams, Fenway Park and the greatest living players of the century, as the final All-Star Game of the 1900s took place in Boston.
- ♦ **August 10:** Tim Wakefield tied a major league record by striking out four batters in the bottom of the ninth (first time ever by a Red Sox pitcher) but blew a save on a two-out, two-strike home run by K.C.'s Carlos Febles. A passed ball on what would have been a game-ending third strike to Johnny Damon kept Wakefield from his 15th save in 17 chances. The Sox regained the lead in the 10th on a single by Lewis but needed Garces to close the eventual 9-6 victory with his second major league save since 1990.
- ♦ **September 2:** After more than a year of rehab work, Ramon Martinez pitched his first game for Boston, giving the Sox their first brother combination since Tony and Billy Conigliaro played together in 1970.
- ♦ **September 16:** The Sox returned from a 9-3 road trip to Seattle, Oakland, New York and Cleveland, securing their hold on a playoff position. The trip featured a three-game sweep at Yankee Stadium (the Sox first since June 1986) and two key wins in Cleveland to end the cross-country journey.



Ramon Martinez



Bryce Florie



Pat Rapp



Wilton Veras

Frye went 7-for-9 in the first two games of the Minnesota series, but the joy of his 13th career home run was short-lived. He injured his left knee in the second game and went on the disabled list, leaving second base chores to Offerman and Donnie Sadler.

Leftfielder Troy O'Leary was an unsung hero, enjoying the most productive season of his career and establishing personal highs in homers and RBI with a month to go in the season. O'Leary not only led the team in homers and RBI, but also led Sox outfielders in assists.

No player was more integral on an everyday basis than catcher Jason Varitek. With Scott Hatteberg out for much of the season due to elbow surgery, Varitek handled an increased load and proved up to the task, defensively and at the plate.

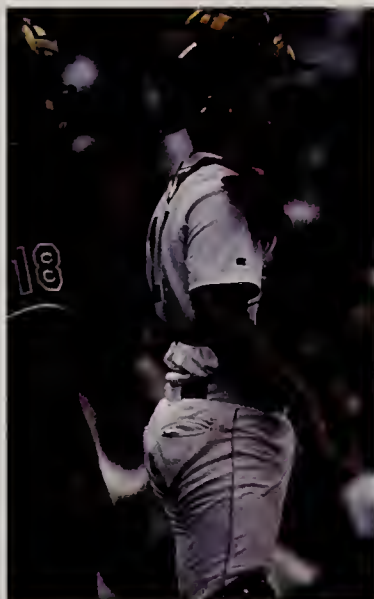
Varitek's first career four-hit game featured two homers against the Yankees on May 19. In mid-September, Varitek's fourth home run of the road trip came in the 13th inning and lifted the Sox to a come-from-behind victory at Cleveland. He became just the fifth catcher in team history to produce 30 doubles in a season.

The list of contributors went on and on — a new game, a new hero.

Mike Stanley, a steadying influence on and off the field, collected his 1,000th career hit on June 16 and his 200th career double the next night. On September 10, he went 4-for-5 with a homer, supporting Pedro Martinez in his masterpiece at New York...Reggie Jefferson emerged as the team's top pinch hitter...Lou Merloni started at three different positions on successive nights in Baltimore...Sadler started at three infield positions plus center field, and his speed on the basepaths was instrumental in several victories.



Rich Garces



Scott Hatteberg

On the mound, Rheal Cormier returned to Boston hoping to remain healthy all season. He did more than that, becoming the Sox' left-handed relief ace, repeatedly getting big outs ...From the right side, Rich Garces set a career high with five relief wins and took a sub-2.00 ERA into the final week of the season...Tomokazu Ohka and Jin Ho Cho showed flashes of brilliance which bode well for the future. Cho

pitched six strong innings vs. Texas on June 19, recording his first big league victory. He dedicated it to his father who died last season before he returned home to Korea.

As the trading deadline approached, it became time for Duquette to do his thing. Boston was able to pick up several players who would play critical roles down the stretch.

Butch Huskey made an immediate impact, collecting five hits in his first two games for Boston. One of the hits was a grand slam in an 8-0 win at Toronto which put the Sox back in command of the Wild Card spot. His pinch-hit homer on September 11 provided the winning margin at Yankee Stadium.

Veteran lefthander Kent Mercker buoyed the Boston rotation, providing six solid innings against Anaheim in his first start, August 27. The Sox rallied from a 3-0 deficit, winning, 4-3, thanks to O'Leary's two-run double against closer Troy Percival.

Bryce Florie added depth to the bullpen and even demonstrated he could start on a moment's notice. On August 14 when Martinez created a stir by arriving tardy, Florie showed his value as a spot starter.

"We're not a bunch of superstars," noted Darren Lewis, as the Sox moved 25 games over .500 in mid-September. "We're just a bunch of guys who play the game hard and play it right."



Jeff Frye



Lou Merloni



Donnie Sadler

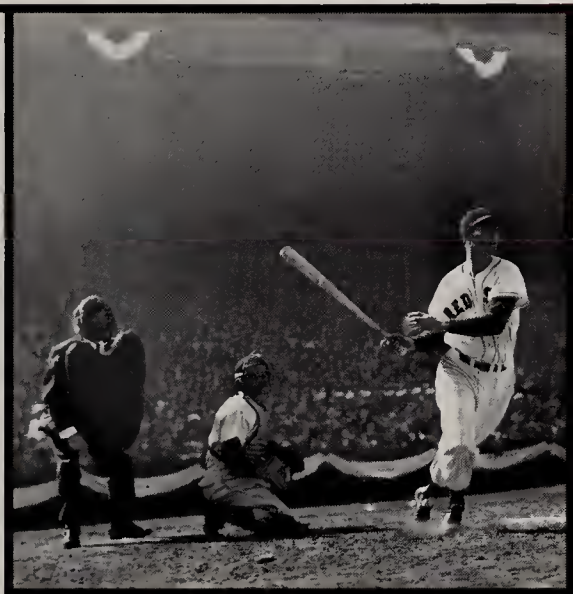


Kent Mercker

Duquette said his team employed a recipe for success similar to the one which paid off a year ago. "Jimmy Williams and his staff prepared this team for 162 games and a playoff season," Duquette said. "He was very careful in spring training with the pitchers. He managed them very carefully and conservatively, so that the team could be playing in October."

What happens now that October is here? "If we play baseball as well as we're capable, I think we can go as far as any other team," said Pedro Martinez.

That's a lot further than most thought possible this spring. The snickering stopped long ago. ■



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NO-HITTERS

Twelve different pitchers have hurled no-hitters for the Red Sox since they first began play in the American League. By coincidence, twelve pitchers have hurled no-hitters against the Sox. If you unscramble the letters of each "word" below and put them in the blank spaces, you'll end up with the names of those 24 hurlers. See how many you can identify.

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Month-By-Month Recap of Red Sox Highlights by Day and Year:

OCTOBER

OCTOBER 1

1903 In the 1st modern World Series game, at Boston's Huntington Avenue Grounds before a crowd of 16,242, the Pittsburgh Pirates and Deacon Phillippe defeated Boston and Cy Young 7-3. SS Fred Parent and RF Buck Freeman had 2 hits (each a triple and single) for Boston. Jim Sebring, Pittsburgh RF, hit the 1st World Series HR.

1904 RHP Bill Dinneen won his 20th game of the season, 6-1, vs. the Browns in St. Louis.

1912 RHP Hugh Bedient (20-9) won, 12-3, at Washington. Sox CF Tris Speaker walked 5 times. The Sox made their 1st-place record 103-46.

1938 Red Sox 1B Jimmie Foxx had 7 RBI on 2 HR, including his 3rd grand slam of the season in the 6th inning off Johnny Murphy of the Yankees at Fenway Park to give him a personal and Red Sox season record of 175 RBI. They were Foxx's 49th and 50th HR, still the Sox season record.

1944 The Red Sox and the Chicago White Sox played a season-ending DH in 2 hours and 48 minutes. The Sox won, 3-1, and lost game 2, 4-1, to finish 77-77.

the Red Sox played a team of American League All-Stars and won behind Tex Hughson, 2-0, at Fenway Park. In the 5th inning, Washington Senator P Mickey Haefner accidentally hit Ted Williams on the right elbow with a pitch which subsequently affected Williams' playing ability in the World Series.

1961 In the final game at New York, Yankee RF Roger Maris hit his 61st HR off Red Sox RHP Tracy Stallard to break Babe Ruth's 1927 record.



1967 The Red Sox clinched the pennant, 6-3, vs. the Minnesota Twins behind RHP **Jim Lonborg** (22-9). In an outstanding performance over the last 2 weeks, Carl Yastrzemski hit .522 with 23 hits in 44 at-bats, including 4 doubles, 5 HR and 16 RBI.

1973 Darrell Johnson, who managed the Sox AAA team at Pawtucket, was named the new Red Sox manager replacing Eddie Kasko.

1977 Baltimore won, 8-7, despite Bernie Carbo's 2-run PH HR in the last of the 9th. The Red Sox, who eliminated the Orioles, 11-10, the previous night, were eliminated, and New York won the A.L. East title with one day left.

1978 A 5-0 victory over the Toronto Blue Jays by RHP Luis Tiant at Boston tied the Sox with the Yankees who lost to Cleveland, 9-2, in New York, for 1st place in the American League East with identical 99-63 records. The tie, on the last game of the regular season, forced a one-game



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playoff the next afternoon at Fenway Park.

1983 It was "Carl Yastrzemski Day" at Fenway Park for his final weekend before retiring from baseball.

1985 Rookie Mike Greenwell hit a solo HR in Baltimore, his 3rd M.L. hit. All were HR including game-winners Sept. 25-26 in Toronto.

1989 Dwight Evans became the only major leaguer to drive in 100 runs during the last 3 seasons and the only player to have at least 20 HR in each of the last 9 seasons.



1946 While waiting for the National League best-of-three playoff between Brooklyn and St. Louis to be completed,

Tiant's 2-hitter puts

OCTOBER 2

1903 In World Series Game 2 at the Huntington Avenue Grounds vs. Pittsburgh, Boston won, 3-0, for the 1st World Series shutout game with RHP Bill Dinneen the winning pitcher. Dinneen struck out 11, and Pat Dougherty had 3 hits, including 2 HR.

1904 Boston moved into a 1st-place tie with New York on RHP **Cy Young's** → 24th win, 2-0, in St. Louis.

1921 1B Stuffy McInnis finished the season with an A.L. record .999 fielding pct. that still stands today. Of the 154 games, he played in 152 and made only one error. At one point he had a string of 119 consecutive errorless games (still the A.L. record) which began on May 31 (1,300 chances).

SS Everett Scott completed a string of 832 consecutive games played, still the Red Sox record.

1933 Marty McManus was released as Red Sox manager.

1938 Lefty Grove led A.L. pitchers with a 3.07 ERA, the 3rd of 4 ERA titles he won while with the Red Sox.

1946 The Red Sox lost to a team of American League All-Stars, 4-2, at Fenway Park in preparation for the World Series.

1949 On the last day of the season, the Red Sox lost the pennant to the Yankees in New York 5-3.

Detroit's George Kell nipped Ted Williams for the A.L. batting title by .0002 (.343). Williams was walked 91 times at Fenway Park of his club record total of 162.

1972 Boston lost before 51,518 at Detroit as the Tigers went 1 1/2 games ahead of the Red Sox with one game left and clinched the Eastern Division title. The game's key play came in the top of the 3rd inning with the Red Sox behind 1-0. With one out, Tommy Harper and Luis Aparicio singled off LHP Mickey Lolich (22-14). Carl Yastrzemski smashed a long drive over CF Mickey Stanley's head that easily scored Harper to tie the score. However, Aparicio stumbled and fell after rounding 3rd base. He went back to the base, but Yaz was there. The Tigers tagged Yaz out, and the score remained 1-1. Rookie LHP John Curtis (11-8) was the loser. The Red Sox

left 10 on base as Lolich, who was 4-0 vs. Boston that year, pitched a complete-game victory.

1977 The Red Sox final game vs. Baltimore was cancelled by rain. The 2 teams ended in a 2nd-place tie at 97-64, 2 1/2 games behind New York.



1978 The Red Sox lost the 2nd-ever American League playoff game to the New York Yankees, 5-4, at Fenway Park.

1983 Carl Yastrzemski's final game before 33,491 in a 3-1 win vs. Cleveland at Fenway Park. His 23 years with Boston tied the M.L. record. He played in 3,308 games. His 13,991 plate appearances and 11,988 at-bats are A.L. records. Yaz went 1-3 with a walk and was replaced in LF in the top of the 8th inning by Chico Walker. Jim Rice's 39th HR in the 3rd inning with 2 on was the game-winner.

1988 3B Wade Boggs finished with a .366 average and won his 5th American League batting title in 6 years.

1998 Cleveland beat Boston, 4-3, in a divisional playoff game at Fenway Park to take a 2-1 lead in the best-of-five series. The Indians hit 4 solo HR (M. Ramirez 2, J. Thome and K. Lofton) while Nomar Garciaparra hit a 2-run HR in the last of the 9th for the Red Sox.

OCTOBER 3

1903 In World Series Game 3 vs. Pittsburgh at the Huntington Avenue Grounds, Pittsburgh won, 4-2, as Deacon Phillippe beat Tom Hughes.

1904 Boston moved into 1st place by 1 percentage point over New York with a 4-1 win in Chicago.

1911 RHP **Smoky Joe Wood** → (23-17) struck out 13 New York batters in a 7-0 win in New York.

1912 RHP Smoky Joe Wood won his 34th game of the year, 17-5, at Philadelphia.

1943 In 155 games, 2B Bobby Doerr set a major league record by making only 9

errors.

1946 The Red Sox defeated a team of American League All-Stars behind Jim Bagby, Jr., 4-1, at Fenway Park in a final exhibition game before the start of the World Series in St. Louis.

1948 The Red Sox defeated the Yankees, 10-5, at Fenway Park in the season's final game to gain a tie with the Cleveland Indians for the American League pennant. Dom DiMaggio and Vern Stephens hit HR for the Red Sox who beat New York 14 times in 22 games.

1964 Johnny Pesky was released as Red Sox manager and replaced by Coach Billy Herman.

1972 The Red Sox lost at Detroit, 3-1, before 50,653, as the Tigers won the A.L. East title on the next to last day of the season. Al Kaline's 8th-inning RBI single off Luis Tiant (15-6) put Detroit ahead. Detroit 3B Aurelio Rodriguez made a diving stab of Carlton Fisk's line drive in the 8th inning to stop a Sox rally.

1995 The 1st divisional playoff game at Cleveland was won by the Indians, 5-4, in 13 innings on Tony Pena's 2-out HR off LHP Zane Smith at 2:08 a.m. The game was delayed twice by rain and took 5:01 to play. John Valentin, Luis Alicea and Tim Lincecum hit HR for the Red Sox.

1998 Cleveland won, 2-1, at Fenway Park on David Justice's 2-run double in the 8th inning off Tom Gordon to eliminate the Red Sox, 3 games to 1. Nomar Garciaparra's 4th-inning HR off Bartolo Colon gave the Red Sox a 1-0 lead.

OCTOBER 4

1917 The season ended with the Red Sox setting a major league record of 310 sacrifices (bunts and scoring flies) in 157 games. The record still stands.

1948 In the 1st-ever American League playoff game, the Red Sox lost to the Indians, 8-3, as LHP Gene Bearden (20-7) beat Denny Galehouse. Cleveland

Manager and SS Lou Boudreau had 4 hits in 4 at-bats including 2 HR. 2B Bobby Doerr hit his 27th HR for Boston.



Sox in playoff

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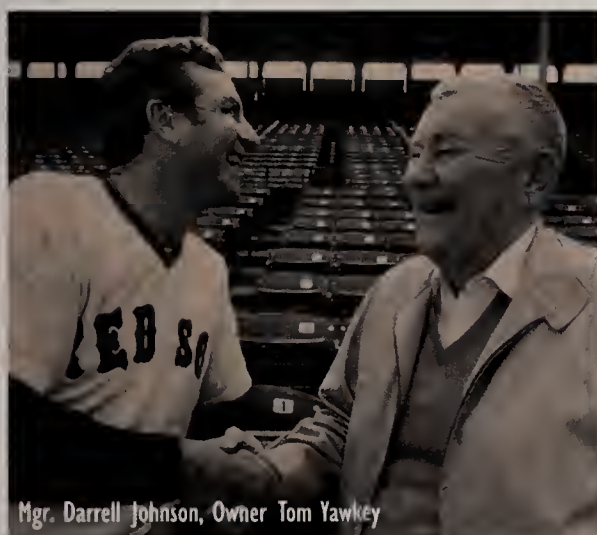
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1965 RHP Bill Monbouquette was traded to the Detroit Tigers for OF George Thomas and INF George Smith.

1967 In World Series Game 1 vs. the Cardinals at Boston, the "Impossible Dream" Red Sox lost, 2-1, as Bob Gibson beat Jose Santiago. In his 1st at-bat, Santiago hit a HR, the only Sox pitcher to hit a post-season HR. St. Louis LF Lou Brock was 4-4 with 2 stolen bases.

1975 In Game 1 of the American League Championship Series at Boston, the Red Sox defeated the Oakland Athletics, 7-1, before 35,578 as RHP Luis Tiant (3BB, 8K) beat LHP Ken Holtzman with a 3-hitter. Sox DH Juan Beniquez had 2 hits



Mgr. Darrell Johnson, Owner Tom Yawkey

in 4 at-bats and 2 stolen bases.

1977 Jim Rice (.320, 39 HR, 114 RBI) was the only unanimous selection to the UPI American League All-Star team.

1995 The 2nd divisional playoff game at Cleveland was won by the Indians 4-0. Sox RHP Erik Hanson and Orel Hershiser had a scoreless duel until Omar Vizquel doubled in 2 runs in the 6th after 2 walks. In the 8th inning, Albert Belle walked and Eddie Murray homered to RF.

OCTOBER 5

1903 Rain postponed the scheduled Boston-Pittsburgh World Series game.

1908 Red Sox rookie RHP King Brady shut out New York, 4-0 (0BB, 3K), in his M.L. debut. He made only one more M.L. appearance, and that was with the Boston Braves in 1912.

1912 A 3-0 win at Philadelphia gave the A.L. champion Red Sox a 48-27 road record and their 105th win of the season.



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1967 In World Series Game 2 at Boston vs. St. Louis, the Red Sox won, 5-0, behind RHP Jim Lonborg's brilliant 1-hitter. Lonborg retired the first 19 batters before Curt Flood walked with 1 out in the 7th. Julian Javier doubled for the Cardinals with 2 outs in the 8th. **Carl Yastrzemski** ↑ hit 2 HR and had 3 hits in 4 at-bats as the Red Sox evened the series 1-1.

1975 In Game 2 of the ALCS at Boston, the Red Sox defeated Oakland, 6-3, as LHP Roger Moret, in relief, defeated Rollie Fingers in relief of Vida Blue. Reggie Cleveland started for Boston. Rico Petrocelli and Carl Yastrzemski had HR for the Red Sox who overcame a 3-0 deficit in the 4th inning.

1978 Red Sox OF Jim Rice was named co-winner, along with Yankee pitcher Ron Guidry, of the American League's Joe Cronin Award for Distinguished Achievement.

1986 Jim Rice got his 200th hit in the season's final game for a .324 average with 20 HR and 110 RBI. Dave Henderson's double set a new club record for the Sox at 320.

1988 In Game 1 of the American League Championship Series at Boston, Oakland defeated the Red Sox 2-1. LHP Bruce Hurst lost a 6-hitter when A's CF Dave Henderson singled in the winning run in the 8th inning.

1995 The divisional playoff and deciding game at Boston was

won by the Indians 8-2. Wind gusts of 20 mph, a 56-degree temperature and intermittent rain made conditions miserable.

OCTOBER 6

1903 In World Series Game 4 at Pittsburgh, the Pirates beat Boston, 5-4, as Deacon Phillippe beat Bill Dinneen. A 3-run Boston 9th-inning rally fell short. SS Honus Wagner had 3 hits for Pittsburgh.

1914 An 8-4 win at Boston over Washington was Rube Foster's 14th win of the season — all 14 were complete games.

1915 The Red Sox defeated the Yankees, 2-0, at New York behind **Dutch Leonard** → (15-7) to win their 100th game of the season.

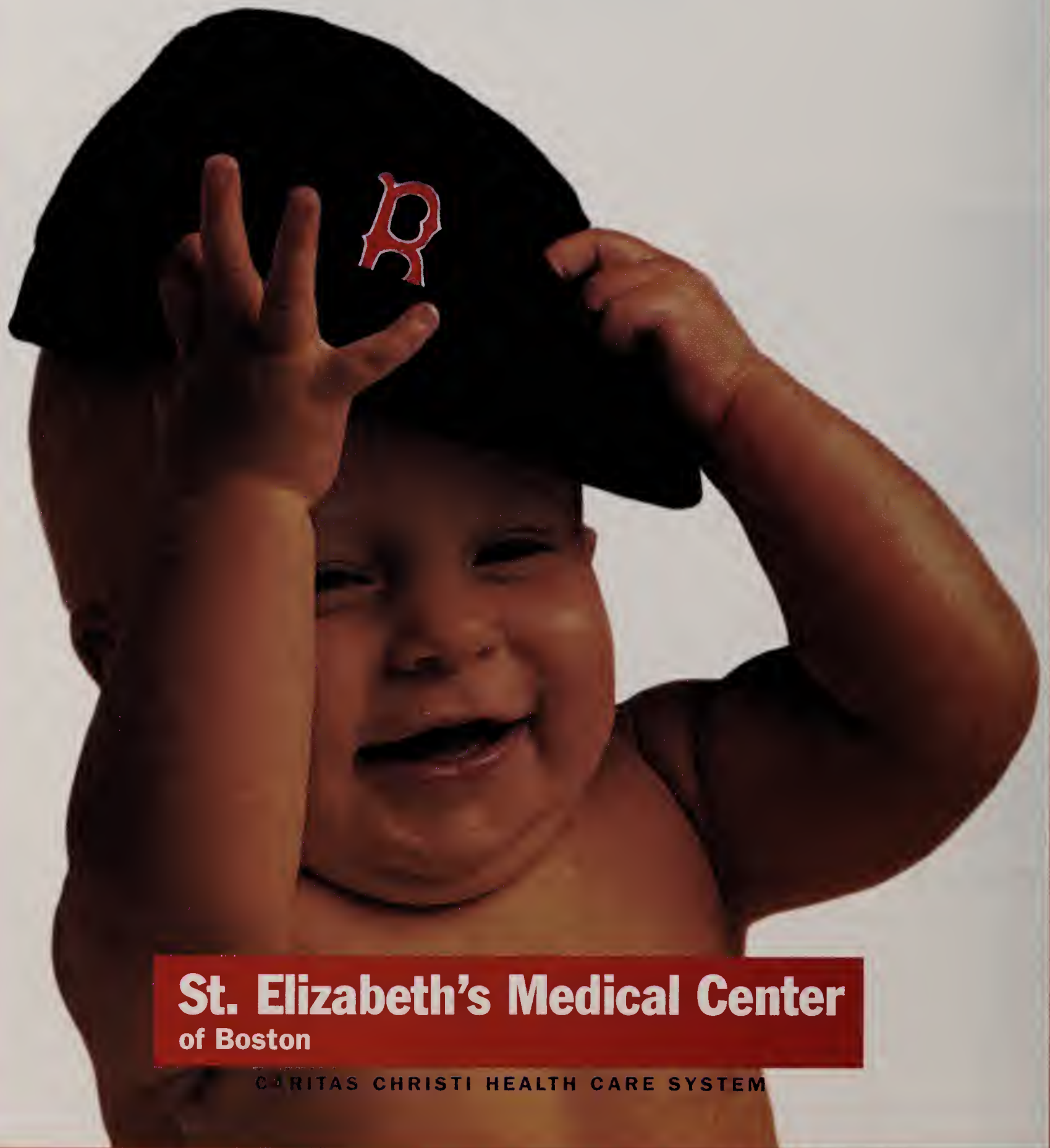
Contrary to the usual custom, Manager Bill Carrigan announced he would not permit any of his Red Sox players to carry any rabbits feet in the World Series for good luck. He also barred charmed coins.

1946 In World Series Game 1 at St. Louis, the Red Sox defeated the Cardinals, 3-2, in 10 innings with LHP Earl Johnson the winner in relief of Tex Hughson. The Red Sox tied the game in the 9th inning when a freak hop on Mike Higgins' grounder got past Cardinal SS Marty Marion. Don Gutteridge ran for Higgins, reached 3rd on Glen Russell's single and scored on Tom McBride's single. Rudy York's 10th-inning HR won the game for Boston.



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1962 Mike Higgins was fired as manager and replaced by Johnny Pesky, who was the club's AAA manager at Seattle (Pacific Coast L.).

1985 Wade Boggs went 3-4 vs. Milwaukee to end with 240 hits, the most in the major leagues since 1930. He tied the major league record for hitting safely in 135 different games and set a major league record for singles, 187.

1988 In Game 2 of the American League Championship Series at Boston, Oakland defeated the Red Sox, 4-3, on rookie Walt Weiss' 9th-inning, 2-out RBI single off RHP Lee Smith. Sox C Rich Gedman's solo HR in the last of the 7th tied the game 3-3.

1990 In Game 1 of the American League Championship Series at Boston, Oakland defeated the Red Sox 9-1. Wade Boggs' HR in the 4th inning off Dave Stewart put the Sox ahead 1-0. Roger Clemens, returning from an arm injury, was limited to 6 innings and left ahead 1-0. The A's scored 7 runs in the 9th.

1991 The Red Sox finished 84-78 and set a season home attendance record of 2,562,435.

OCTOBER 7

1903 In World Series Game 5 at Pittsburgh, Boston won, 11-2, behind RHP Cy Young. Boston LF Pat Dougherty had 3 hits (2 triples and a single).

1904 New York moved into 1st place over Boston when spitball RHP Jack Chesbro (a native of No. Adams, MA) got his 41st win, 3-2, in New York.

1911 The last game was played at the Huntington Avenue Grounds and the Red Sox defeated Washington, 8-1, behind Sea Lion Charley Hall (8-7).



1916 Boston Red Sox

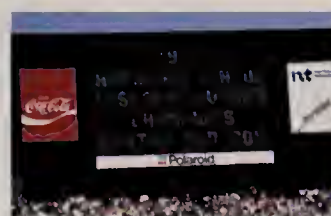
1916 In World Series Game 1 vs. Brooklyn before 36,117 at Boston's Braves Field, the Red Sox defeated Brooklyn, 6-5, Ernie Shore the winner. The Dodgers scored 4 runs in the 9th, but SS Everett Scott made a great play and throw on Jake Daubert's line drive to end the rally.

1946 In World Series Game 2 at St. Louis, the Cardinals defeated the Red Sox 3-0, LHP Harry Brecheen the winner over Sox LHP Mickey Harris.

1967 In World Series Game 3 at St. Louis, the Cardinals won, 5-2, Nelson Briles over RHP Gary Bell. Reggie Smith had a HR and single, and Dalton Jones had 3 hits in 4 at-bats for the Red Sox.



1975 In Game 3 of the ALCS at Oakland, the Red Sox completed a 3-game sweep and won the American League pennant 5-3. RHP Rick Wise got the win with a save by RHP Dick Drago. LF Carl Yastrzemski had 2 hits for Boston and made the game's key



defensive play with a diving stop in the 8th inning on a Reggie Jackson line single to LCF. Drago then got an inning-ending double play to kill the rally. Yaz has cited the play as one of his top baseball remembrances.



1986 In Game 1 of the American League Championship Series at Boston, the Angels defeated the Red Sox 8-1. RHP Mike Witt shut down the Sox offense, allowing just 5 hits. Marty Barrett singled in Boston's only run in the 6th and had 2 of the 5 Sox hits.

1990 In Game 2 of the American League Championship Series at Boston, Oakland defeated the Red Sox 4-1. The A's scored the go-ahead run in the 7th and 2 more in the 9th inning.

1993 A proposal is made by Governor William Weld and Lieutenant Governor Paul Cellucci to name a third Boston Harbor tunnel after Ted Williams.

OCTOBER 8

1903 In World Series Game 6 at Pittsburgh, Boston won, 6-3, with RHP Bill Dinneen the winner.

1904 Boston's DH sweep vs. New York, 13-2, and 1-0, moved them back into 1st place.

1912 In World Series Game 1 vs. the Giants at New York, the Red Sox won, 4-3, as RHP Joe Wood defeated Jeff Tesreau. Wood struck out 11 Giants.

Babe Ruth

1915 In World Series Game 1 at Philadelphia, the Phillies defeated Boston, 3-1, with Grover Cleveland Alexander outpitching Ernie Shore. Babe

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Catcher	2	Third Baseman	5	Center Fielder	8
First Baseman	3	Shortstop	6	Right Fielder	9

SYMBOLS FOR PLAYS

Single	—	Fielder's Choice	FC	Passed Ball	PB
Double	=	Hit by Pitcher	HP	Balk	BK
Triple	≡	Wild Pitch	WP	Struck Out	K
Home Run	≡≡	Stolen Base	SB	Base on Balls	BB
Sacrifice	SAC	Force Out	FO		
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1999 RED SOX SEASON SCHEDULE

APRIL 1999

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3
4	T 5 KC 2:05	6	N 7 KC 8:05	N 8 KC 8:05	T 9 TAM 7:05	T 10 TAM 6:35
T 11 TAM 1:35	12	T 13 CHW 1:05	14	N 15 CHW 6:05	T 16 TAM 6:05	T 17 TAM 1:05
T 18 TAM 1:05	T 19 TAM 11:05	N 20 DET 7:05	N 21 DET 7:05	T 22 DET 1:05	T 23 CLE 6:05	T 24 CLE 1:05
T 25 CLE 1:05	N 26 MIN 8:05	N 27 MIN 8:05	N 28 MIN 1:15	29	OAK 10:35	

MAY 1999

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						T 1 OAK 4:05
N 2 OAK 4:05	N 3 OAK 3:05	4	N 5 TEX 7:05	N 6 TEX 7:05	T 7 ANA 7:05	T 8 ANA 1:05
T 9 ANA 1:05	N 10 SEA 7:05	N 11 SEA 7:05	N 12 SEA 7:05	13	T 14 TOR 7:05	T 15 TOR 4:05
T 16 TOR 1:05	N 17 TOR 7:05	N 18 NYY 7:05	N 19 NYY 7:05	T 20 NYY 7:05	T 21 TOR 7:05	T 22 TOR 1:05
T 23 TOR 1:05	N 24 NYY 7:35	N 25 NYY 7:35	N 26 NYY 1:05	27	T 28 CLE 7:05	T 29 CLE 1:05

JUNE 1999

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		N 1 DET 7:05	N 2 DET 7:05	3	T 4 ATL 7:05	T 5 ATL 4:05*
T 6 ATL 1:05	N 7 MON 7:05	N 8 MON 7:05	N 9 MON 7:05	10	T 11 NYM 7:40	T 12 NYM 1:15
T 13 NYM 1:40	N 14 MIN 7:05	N 15 MIN 7:05	N 16 MIN 7:05	T 17 MIN 7:05	T 18 TEX 7:05	F 19 TEX 1:15*
T 20 TEX 1:05	N 21 TEX 7:05	N 22 BAL 7:35	N 23 BAL 7:35	N 24 BAL 7:35	T 25 CHW 7:05	T 26 CHW 4:05*
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JULY 1999

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AUGUST 1999

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SEPTEMBER 1999

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Look at the opponents

1999 Cleveland Indians

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ROBERTO ALOMAR • 2B

The Indians All-Star second baseman played in his 9th straight All-Star Game this season at Fenway Park and 10th overall. Alomar was the All-Star MVP for his performance in the 1998 Game at Coors Field in Denver going 3-4 with a HR, RBI, and SB. No stranger to the post-season with two World Championship rings (1992 and 1993 with Toronto), the seven-time Rawlings Gold Glover will play in his 6th post-season in his 11-year career. In 1999 Alomar was among the league leaders in runs, batting average, doubles, stolen bases and walks. This year against the Red Sox, Alomar hit .293 (12-41) with 4 runs, 2 doubles, 6 stolen bases, 5 walks and 5 RBI.

**DAVID JUSTICE • OF-DH**

Entering 1999 the three-time All-Star was hitting .350 (14-40) against the Red Sox. However in 1999, Justice hit only .190 (8-42) with 6 runs, 2 doubles, 1 HR, 3 RBI, 8 walks and 12 strikeouts vs. Boston. In the 1998 Division Series he hit a HR vs. the Red Sox in Game 2 and then had a 2-run double in the 8th inning of Game 4 as Cleveland won 2-1.

**KENNY LOFTON • CF**

Speedster Kenny Lofton ranks among the leaders on the all-time career stolen base list with more than 400. This season, the Indians' outfielder was caught stealing only six times in his first 30 attempts. An excellent fielder as well, Lofton has had 10 or more outfield assists in seven of the last eight years. Against the Red Sox in 1999, Lofton hit .395 (15-38) with 7 runs, 1 double, 2 HR, 6 RBI, 4 walks, 5 strikeouts and 2 stolen bases. He has a career .318 avg. vs. the Red Sox (96-302).

**MANNY RAMIREZ • RF**

Ramirez was among the leaders in the A.L. in several categories: RBI, slugging percentage, batting average, HR, runs, total bases, on-base percentage and extra-base hits. His post-season play has also been spectacular ranking 4th all-time with 13 HR in 47 games behind Mickey Mantle (18), Reggie Jackson (18), and Babe Ruth (15). He hit .222 (6-27) with 5 runs, 3 doubles, 3 RBI, 6 walks, 12 strikeouts and 1 stolen base vs. the Red Sox in 1999. In the 1998 Division Series, he hit 2 HR in Game 3 in Fenway Park as Cleveland won 4-3. He made his 3rd All-Star appearance this season at Fenway Park.

**JIM THOME • 1B**

Thome improved on his last season's totals in runs, BB, HR and RBI in 1999. He was among the A.L. leaders in walks, strikeouts and grand slams. Against the Red Sox in 1999, the Indians first baseman hit .179 (7-39) with 7 runs, 1 double, 4 HR, 9 RBI, 8 walks and 12 strikeouts. Thome has 18 career HR vs. the Red Sox including 10 in Fenway Park. He also hit a HR here in both the 1995 and 1998 Divisional Series. Thome played in his 3rd All-Star Game this season at Fenway Park.

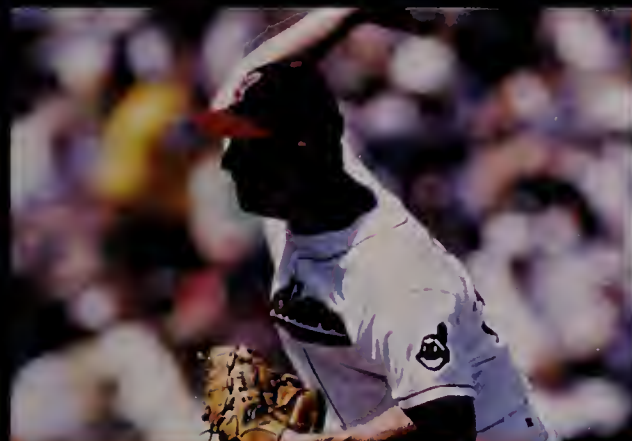


OMAR VIZQUEL • SS

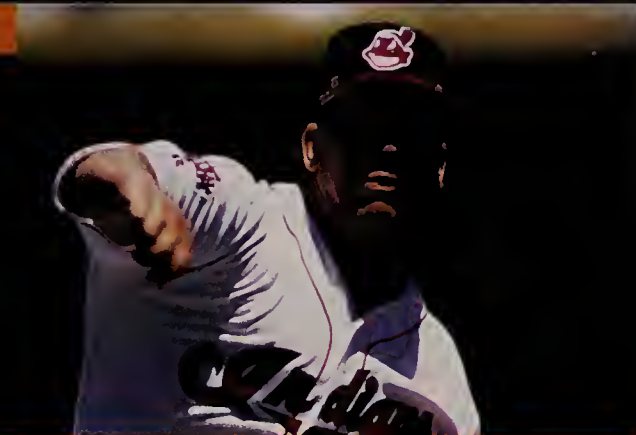
With six consecutive Rawlings Gold Gloves and the impressive numbers he posted in 1999, Vizquel is considered one of the premier all-around shortstops in the major leagues. He was among A.L. leaders in stolen bases, batting average, hits, and multi-hit games. Against Boston this season, the Indians' shortstop hit .302 (13-43) with 7 runs, 1 double, 3 RBI, 3 walks, 7 strikeouts and 4 stolen bases. He has a career .292 avg. vs. the Red Sox (126-432).

**DAVE BURBA • RHP**

In 1999 RHP Dave Burba finished among the A.L. leaders in innings pitched, strikeouts, and opponents batting average against. He had 15 wins for the second straight season. Against the Red Sox this year, Burba was 0-0 with a 7.20 ERA giving up four earned runs in 5 innings pitched. He is 0-2 vs. the Red Sox in two years with Cleveland but was the winning pitcher in relief in Game 2 of the 1998 Divisional Series vs. the Red Sox.

**BARTOLO COLON • RHP**

The Indians flame thrower set a personal high in wins in 1999. The young righthander (24 yrs. old) finished his 3rd major league season and was among the leaders in ERA, wins, strikeouts and opponents batting average. This season Colon faced Boston four times and pitched against Pedro Martinez three of the four games. He was 0-2 vs. the Sox with a 4.44 ERA, 12 earned runs, 27 hits, 14 walks and 25 strikeouts in 24.1 IP. Colon has a 1-5 career record vs. Boston.

**MIKE JACKSON • RHP**

In his 2nd year as a full-time closer, the Indians reliever saved 30+ games for the Tribe. Against Boston this season, he went 0-0 with 3 saves and a 1.80 ERA in 5 innings pitched with 2 walks and 3 strikeouts. Last year in the Division Series vs. the Red Sox, Jackson saved all 3 Cleveland victories. He has a regular season career 1-3 record with 11 saves vs. the Red Sox.

**STEVE KARSAY • RHP**

Karsay notched over 10 wins in 1999 for Cleveland. Ten of his wins came consecutively from April 10 to August 19, the top winning streak in the American League. The Indians reliever faced the Sox five times this season and posted a 2-0 record with a 3.24 ERA in 8.1 innings pitched with 3 walks and 11 strikeouts. He has a 2-2 career record vs. the Red Sox (32 IP, 10 BB, 31 K).

**CHARLES NAGY • RHP**

Nagy pitched in the 3rd All-Star Game of his career at Fenway Park this season. The Indians All-Star posted 17 wins for the 3rd time in his M.L. career. Nagy was among the league leaders in wins and winning percentage. The right-hander was 1-0 with a 7.94 ERA, 8 hits, 5 runs, no walks and 5 strikeouts in 5.2 innings pitched vs. the Red Sox this season. His only appearance vs. the Red Sox in 1999 was an 11-7 win in Cleveland September 13th. Nagy is 7-1, 2.87 career vs. the Red Sox. He was also the winning pitcher in last year's Game 3 of the Division Series in Fenway Park.



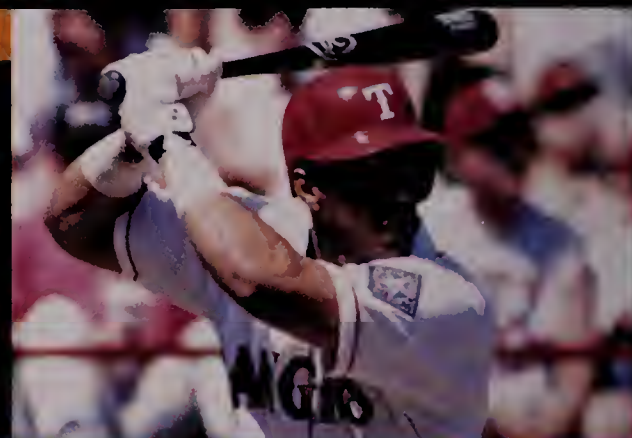
Look at the opponents

1999 Texas Rangers

Photos by Brad Newton

JUAN GONZALEZ • RF

The Texas rightfielder and last year's American League Most Valuable Player was among the league leaders in RBI and slugging percentage in 1999. Although his offensive production dropped slightly from last season, Gonzalez put up excellent numbers for the Rangers. In 1999 vs. the Red Sox, Gonzalez batted .270 (10-37) with 8 runs, 3 doubles, 1 HR, 4 RBI, 1 walk, and 8 strikeouts. He has 24 career HR vs. the Red Sox.



RUSTY GREER • LF

Greer had an outstanding year in 1999. He was among the league leaders in doubles and walks. A career .324 hitter (70-216) against the Sox, in 1999 he hit .444 (16-36) with 8 runs, 2 doubles, 1 triple, 2 HR, 8 RBI, 3 walks, 5 strikeouts, and 1 stolen base.



RAFAEL PALMEIRO • DH-1B

Palmeiro, a 1999 All-Star, set career numbers this season in HR, RBI, walks and strikeouts. He ranked among the top 10 league leaders in batting average, HR, RBI, on-base percentage, slugging percentage, extra-base hits, and multi-hit games. Palmeiro batted .500 (16-32) with 6 runs, 3 doubles, 4 HR, 12 RBI, 4 walks and 3 strikeouts vs. the Red Sox in 1999. He has a career .310 (145-468) avg. with 20 HR vs. the Red Sox.



IVAN RODRIGUEZ • C

"Pudge" is highly regarded as the best defensive catcher with the strongest arm in baseball. He has seven consecutive Rawlings Gold Gloves (1992-98). Rodriguez hit 30+ home runs in 1999, hit over .300 for the 4th straight season, and batted in over 100 RBI for the 1st time in his career. Rodriguez ranked among the 1999 league leaders in batting average, runs, hits, total bases, slugging percentage and multi-hit games. Against the Red Sox in 1999, the Rangers' All-Star catcher hit .281 (9-32) with 8 runs, 1 double, 2 HR and 7 RBI. He has a career .289 (78-270) avg. with 10 HR vs. the Red Sox.



LEE STEVENS • 1B

In his 3rd full season, the Rangers' first baseman had a solid offensive season with over 50 extra-base hits and over 80 RBI. This season against the Red Sox, Stevens batted .229 (8-35), 3 doubles, 1 HR, 2 RBI, 1 walk, and 7 strikeouts. He has hit more than 20 HR in each of his three seasons with the Rangers. In 1994-95 he played at Kintetsu of the Japanese Pacific L.



TODD ZEILE • 3B

Zeile established career highs in batting average and doubles in 1999 and has driven in over 90 runs in each of the last three years. He hit a career-high 31 home runs in 1997 with the Dodgers. In 1999, Zeile hit .206 (7-34) vs. the Red Sox with 2 doubles, 1 HR, 6 RBI, 3 BB and 5 strikeouts.

**RICK HELLING • RHP**

Helling was among the league leaders in innings pitched in 1999. Against the Sox this season, the right-handed starter was 2-1 with a 3.72 ERA, 9 runs, 8 earned runs, 7 walks and 12 strikeouts in 3 games and 19.1 innings pitched. He is 4-1 in six career games vs. the Red Sox. He was 20-7 for the Rangers in 1998.

**MIKE MORGAN • RHP**

In 1999 Morgan, a 17-year veteran pitcher, won more than 10 games, the first time since 1992 with the Cubs when he was 16-8. Against Boston this season, he went 1-0 in 1 start, 6.1 innings pitched, 1 earned run, 3 hits, 3 walks and 2 strikeouts. For his career, Morgan is 1-6 vs. the Sox. On July 24, 1979, with Oakland in Fenway Park, he allowed Carl Yastrzemski's 400th home run.

**AARON SELE • RHP**

The former Red Sox pitcher turned Rangers ace had another solid year for Texas in 1999. He surpassed his 1998 strikeout total of 167. Sele ranked with league leaders in winning percentage, wins, shutouts, and strikeouts. Against the Red Sox in 1999, Sele was 1-1 in 2 games with a 1.88 ERA, 1 complete game shutout, 14.1 innings pitched, 17 hits, 3 earned runs, 5 walks, and 12 strikeouts. In two years with Texas, Sele is 2-3 in five starts vs. the Red Sox.

**JOHN WETTELAND • RHP**

The 1996 Rolands Relief Award winner, surpassed his 1998 totals of saves, innings pitched and strikeouts in 1999. This season vs. Boston, Wetteland faced the Sox once during a 4-3 Rangers win on August 20 and allowed 1 hit in 1 inning pitched with 1 walk and 1 strikeout for the save. He is 1-1 with 14 career saves vs. the Red Sox.

**JEFF ZIMMERMAN • RHP**

Rookie right-handed reliever Jeff Zimmerman was among all A.L. rookies in most games and strikeouts in 1999. He had nine consecutive wins from April 14 to August 2. Against the Sox, Zimmerman was 0-0 in 5 games with a 0.00 ERA, 1 save, 1 hit, 1 walk, and six strikeouts in 8.1 innings pitched. After graduation from Texas Christian U. in 1993, he pitched in France and with the Canadian National Team before beginning his pro career at Winnipeg of the Independent Northern L. in 1997.



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Ruth made his 1st World Series appearance grounding out as a pinch hitter for Shore in the 9th inning.

1967 In World Series Game 4 at St. Louis, the Cardinals won, 6-0, behind RHP Bob Gibson. LHP Ken Brett made an appearance in this game for the Red Sox becoming the youngest pitcher to appear in a World Series game at 19 years, 20 days old, a record that still stands.



1986 In Game 2 of the American League Championship Series at Boston, the Red Sox defeated the Angels 9-2. The Sox broke open a 3-2 game in the 7th inning, taking advantage of 3 Angel errors to score 3 unearned runs. LHP Bruce Hurst was able to scatter 11 hits while walking none, as the Sox evened the series at 1-1. Marty Barrett led the way with 3 hits and 2 RBI, while **Jim Rice** ↑ homered and drove in 2 runs.

1988 In Game 3 of the American League Championship Series at Oakland, the Athletics defeated the Red Sox 10-6. RHP Mike Boddicker took a 5-0 lead into the last of the 2nd inning but couldn't stop the A's. Wade Boggs had 3 hits and 2 RBI for the Red Sox, and Mike Greenwell hit a HR and double with 2 RBI.

1991 In a surprise move, the Red Sox released Manager Joe Morgan and promoted AAA Pawtucket Manager Butch Hobson to replace him.



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1912 World Series Game 2 at Boston, ended, 6-6, after 11 innings on a raw, cloudy day. Christy Mathewson pitched for New York, while Ray Collins, Charley Hall and Hugh Bedient pitched for Boston. Before the game, Boston Mayor "Honey" Fitzgerald presented an automobile to Boston Manager Jake Stahl and a silver bat to SS **Heinie Wagner** ↑ as gifts from the Boston fans.

1915 In World Series Game 2 at Philadelphia, Boston won, 2-1, as George Foster allowed only 3 hits, (0BB, 8K) while facing only 30 batters. Foster also went 3-4, including a double. Boston 3B Larry Gardner had 2 hits. This was the 1st World Series game ever attended by a United States president. President Woodrow Wilson came up from Washington to throw out the 1st ball.

1916 In World Series Game 2 before 41,373 at Braves Field, Boston beat Brooklyn, 2-1, in 14 innings with LHP Babe Ruth outpitching Sherry Smith. Del Gainor singled to drive in Mike McNally with the winning run. Ruth started a stretch of 29.2 innings of scoreless World Series pitching.

1946 In World Series Game 3 at Boston, the Red Sox defeated St. Louis, 4-0, behind RHP Dave Ferriss' 6-hitter. Boston's Johnny Pesky, Rudy York and **Bobby Doerr** → all had 2 hits with

Doerr getting a double and York a HR.

1967 In World Series Game 5 at St. Louis, Boston won, 3-1, as RHP Jim Lonborg defeated Steve Carlton. C Elston Howard's 9th-inning single with the bases loaded scored the winning run. Roger Maris hit a solo HR for St. Louis with 2 outs in the last of the 9th.

1988 In Game 4 of the American League Championship Series at Oakland, the Athletics defeated the Red Sox, 4-1, to capture the A.L. pennant. The Sox trailed, 2-1, in the last of the 8th, but the A's scored 2 runs. Dennis Eckersley retired the Sox in the 9th, his 4th save in 4 games, and was named ALCS MVP.

1990 In Game 3 of the American League Championship Series at Oakland, the Athletics defeated the Red Sox 4-1. Jose Canseco had 3 hits including his 3rd HR of the series, and Dennis Eckersley stopped a Sox rally in the 9th inning.

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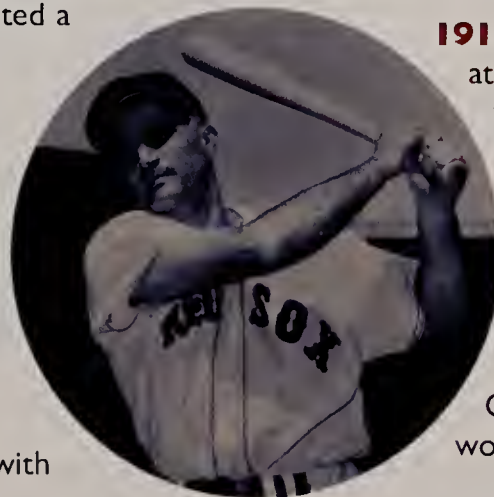
1903 Boston won World Series Game 7 before 17,038 at the Huntington Avenue Grounds, 7-3, with RHP Cy Young defeating Deacon Phillippe. Boston took advantage of the ground rule allowing balls hit into the crowd to be triples as 5 of their 10 hits came that way.

1904 Boston won the A.L. pennant with a 3-2 win that eliminated the Highlanders in New York in the 1st game of a season-ending DH. 41-game winner Jack Chesbro lost on a 2-out wild pitch in the top of the 9th. Red Sox 1B Candy LaChance completed his 3rd straight season (1902-04) of playing every inning of each game, a total of 436 games.

1912 In World Series Game 3 at Boston, New York and Rube Marquard beat Boston and Tom O'Brien 2-1. Giant RF Josh Devore made a great running catch in the 9th inning with 2 on base and 2 outs to save the game for New York.

1916 In World Series Game 3 at Brooklyn, the Dodgers won, 4-3, as Jack Coombs defeated RHP Carl Mays. Larry Gardner had a HR for the Red Sox, while Harry Hooper had 2 hits including a triple.

1946 In World Series Game 4 at Boston, St. Louis won, 12-3, George Munger,



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the winner and Tex Hughson, the 1st of 6 Red Sox pitchers, the loser. Cardinals Enos Slaughter, Whitey Kurowski and Joe Garagiola each had 4 hits, and the Cards had a record-tying 20 hits in the game.

1975 Red Sox Owner Tom Yawkey was honored by the city of Boston for the 1st time in his 42 years as team owner.

1986 In Game 3 of the American League Championship Series at California, the Angels defeated the Red Sox 5-3. RHP Oil Can Boyd and LHP John Candelaria dueled through 6 innings in a 1-1 game, but Boyd surrendered 7th-inning HRs to Dick Schofield and Gary Pettis with 2 outs. C Rich Gedman had 3 hits and 2 RBI for Boston.

1990 In Game 4 of the American League Championship Series at Oakland, the Athletics defeated the Red Sox, 3-1, to capture the A.L. pennant. The A's scored all 3 runs in the 2nd inning.

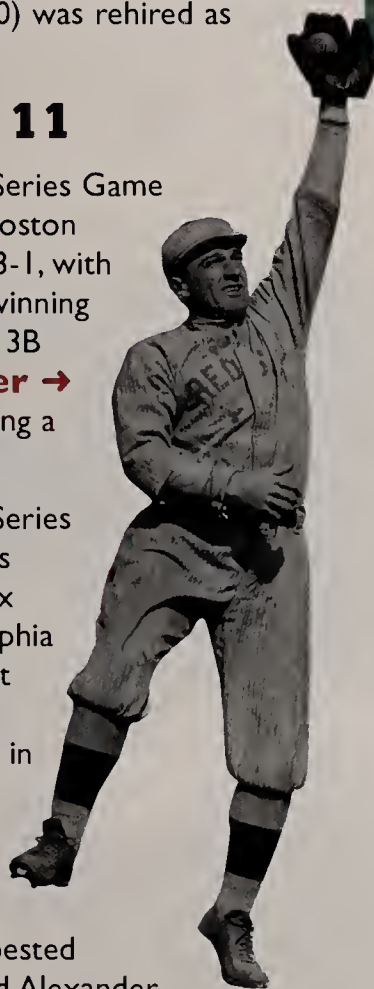
1991 Former Red Sox Manager Don Zimmer (1976-80) was rehired as third base coach.

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1912 In World Series Game 4 at New York, Boston beat the Giants, 3-1, with RHP Joe Wood winning over Jeff Tesreau. 3B **Larry Gardner** → had 2 hits including a triple.

1915 In World Series Game 3 at Braves Field, the Red Sox defeated Philadelphia 2-1. This game set an attendance record of 42,300 in the newly constructed National League ballpark. LHP Dutch Leonard bested Grover Cleveland Alexander. Leonard pitched a brilliant 3-hitter, and Duffy Lewis' single in the bottom of the 9th inning, his 3rd of the game, drove in Harry Hooper with the winning run.

1916 In World Series Game 4 at Brooklyn, Boston won, 6-2, thanks in part to 3B Larry Gardner's 3-run HR in the 2nd inning. LHP Dutch Leonard, the winner, held Brooklyn scoreless after the 1st inning and allowed only 5 hits.



1946 In World Series Game 5 at Boston, the Red Sox beat St. Louis, 6-3, on RHP Joe Dobson's 4-hitter over Al Brazle. SS Johnny Pesky had 3 hits for Boston, and OF Leon Culberson had 2 hits including a HR.

1954 Lou Boudreau was fired as Red Sox manager and replaced by Mike Higgins.

1967 In World Series Game 6 at Boston, the Red Sox hit 3 HR in the 4th inning, to set a World Series record, and defeat St. Louis 8-4. The HR were hit by Carl Yastrzemski, Reggie Smith and Rico Petrocelli. Petrocelli also had a HR in the 2nd inning. RHP John Wyatt was the winner in relief of rookie RHP Gary Waslewski, as the Red Sox evened the Series 3-3.

1970 OF Tony Conigliaro, C Gerry Moses and RHP Ray Jarvis were traded to the California Angels for RHP Ken Tatum, OF Jarvis Tatum and 2B Doug Griffin.

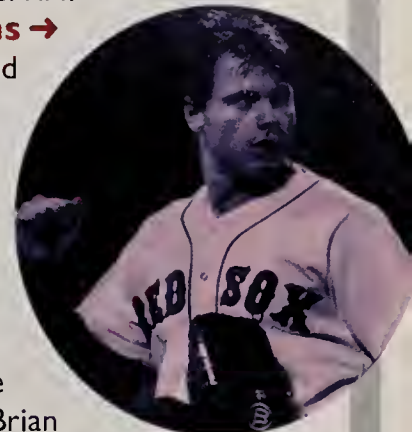
1971 Pitchers Ken Brett and Jim Lonborg, INF Don Pavletich, 1B George Scott and OFs Joe Lahoud and Billy Conigliaro were traded to the Milwaukee Brewers for OFs Pat Skrabble and Tommy Harper and RHPs Lew Krausse and Marty Pattin.



1975 In World Series Game 1 at Boston, the Red Sox beat Cincinnati, 6-0, behind the 5-hit pitching of ← **Luis Tiant**. LHP Don Gullett was the loser. Rick Burleson was 3-3, while Rico Petrocelli, Fred Lynn and Denny Doyle all had 2 hits for the Red Sox who scored all 6 runs in the 7th inning.

1986 In Game 4 of the American League Championship Series at California, the Angels beat the Red Sox, 4-3, to take a 3-1 lead in the series. RHP

Roger Clemens → and the Sox carried a 3-0 lead into the 9th, but the Angels tied it when Clemens, pitching on 3 days rest, tired, and Calvin Schiraldi could not hold the lead. Schiraldi hit Brian Downing with a 2-out, 1-2 pitch to force in the tying run. Bobby Grich singled in Jerry Narron in the 11th to give the Angels the win.



OCTOBER 12

1904 N.L. president Harry Pulliam said the 1903 World Series between Boston and Pittsburgh was a "voluntary" agreement. Giant president John T. Brush said, "the N.L. shouldn't lower itself by playing an unworthy, inferior league."

1912 In World Series Game 5 at Boston, the Red Sox beat New York, 2-1, with Hugh Bedient defeating Christy Mathewson. Mathewson retired 17 Red Sox in order after back-to-back triples by Harry Hooper and Steve Yerkes in the 3rd inning. Yerkes' hit scored Hooper, and Yerkes scored on Speaker's groundout.

1915 In World Series Game 4 at Braves Field, the Red Sox defeated Philadelphia 2-1. RHP Ernie Shore was the winner. Duffy Lewis doubled in the winning run in the 6th inning.

1916 In World Series Game 5 at Braves Field, the Red Sox won the World Championship by beating Brooklyn, 4-1, behind RHP ← **Ernie Shore's** 3-hit pitching. Duffy Lewis had 2 hits including a triple for Boston. The attendance was 42,620, a World Series record which stood until 1923 when

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1960 RHP Mike Fornieles was named by The Sporting News as the 1st American League winner of the new "Annual Fireman of The Year" Award for the top relief pitcher.

1967 In World Series Game 7 at Boston, St. Louis won, 7-2, to win the World Championship. Bob Gibson was the winner, and Jim Lonborg, the 1st of 5 Boston pitchers, the loser. The only extra-base hits for Boston were Rico Petrocelli's double and George Scott's triple. The Red Sox had to use Lonborg with only 2 days rest.

1975 In World Series Game 2 at Boston, Cincinnati beat Boston, 3-2, with 2 runs in the top of the 9th inning, and amidst near incessant rain and a 27-minute rain delay in the 7th inning. LHP Bill Lee was the starter, but Dick Drago, who replaced him in the 9th inning after Johnny Bench's leadoff double, was the loser.

1986 In Game 5 of the ALCS at California, the Red Sox beat the Angels, 7-6, in 11 innings. The Sox scored first on C Rich Gedman's 2-run HR in the 2nd inning. Bob Boone's solo HR in

the 3rd cut the lead in half, and the Angels went ahead in the 6th when Bobby Grich hit a drive to deep CF where Dave Henderson, attempting a fine catch, knocked the ball over the fence for a 2-run HR and a 3-2 deficit. The Angels scored twice in the 7th, and Mike Witt took the 5-2 lead into the 9th. Bill Buckner opened with a single, and with one out, Don Baylor homered to pull the Sox with-



in one. After Dwight Evans popped out, LHP Gary Lucas relieved Witt and hit Gedman with his 1st pitch. RHP Donnie Moore then came in to face Henderson and was within 1 strike of clinching when "Hendu" drove a 2-2 pitch over the LF fence to put the Sox back ahead. The Angels tied the game in the bottom of the inning, but Steve Crawford worked out of a bases-loaded, 1-out situation to put the game into extra innings. Henderson came through again with a sacrifice fly in the 11th to give the Sox the remarkable win.

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1903 In World Series Game 8 at the Huntington Avenue Grounds, Boston won the 1st modern World Series beating Pittsburgh, 3-0, as RHP Bill Dinneen (4H, 2BB, 7K) defeated Deacon Phillippe. It was Dinneen's 3rd Series win and 2nd shutout

in 4 starts. Dinneen fanned the great Pirate SS Honus Wagner for the final out.

1904 Boston rooters had a testimonial for the A.L. Champion players at the Boston Theatre headed by a Mr. Michael Ryan. The benefit netted each player about \$100. Earlier that evening General Charles H. Taylor, owner, publisher and editor of the Boston Globe, hosted a banquet for the players at the Parker House.

1915 In World Series Game 5 at Philadelphia, Boston won, 5-4, to win the World Championship. RHP George Foster was the winner. Boston RF Harry Hooper had 3 hits including 2 HR. LF Duffy Lewis also had a HR with a man on base, and 3B Larry Gardner had a triple.

1946 In World Series Game 6 at St. Louis, the Cardinals beat the Red Sox, 4-1, with LHP Mickey Harris losing to LHP Harry Brecheen.

OCTOBER 14

1909 In a special post-season series of 3rd-place finishers, the Red Sox completed the defeat of the New York Giants 4 games to 1. Red Sox CF Tris Speaker went 12-20 .600 with 2 HR and 6 stolen bases. John McGraw, Giants manager, stated, "I've never seen a greater exhibition. I think (Speaker) is a better ballplayer right now than Ty Cobb."

1912 In World Series Game 6 at New York, the Giants won 5-2. They scored all their runs in the 1st inning. Red Sox LHP Ray Collins pitched shutout ball in relief the last 7 innings.



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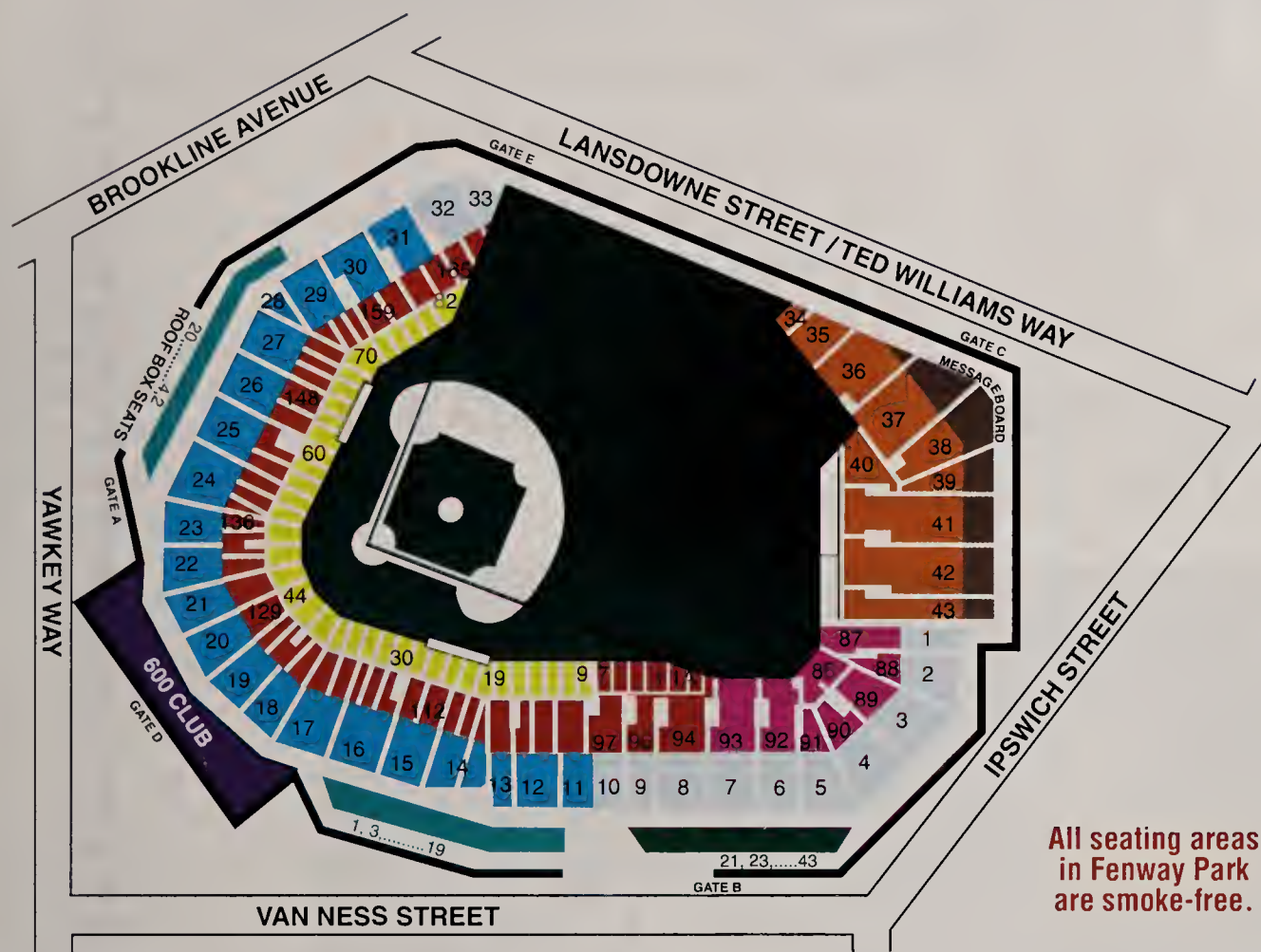


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1944 Notre Dame beat Dartmouth, 64-0, in a college football game at Fenway Park.

1945 The Red Sox AAA farm club at Louisville, behind pitcher Rex Cecil defeated the Yankees' Newark Bears club, 5-3, to win "The Little World Series."

1975 In World Series Game 3 at Cincinnati, the Reds beat the Red Sox, 6-5, in 10 innings with Rawly Eastwick winning his 2nd game in a row in relief. RHP Rick Wise started for Boston. Bernie Carbo, pinch hitting in the 7th inning, homered. Carlton Fisk and **Dwight Evans** ↓ also hit HR. (Evans' 2-run HR in the 9th tied the game.) The key play came in the 10th inning and became one of the most controversial in World Series history. Cesar Geronimo opened the bottom of the 10th with a single to RF. Ed Armbrister PH and

laid down a bunt. The ball landed just in front of home plate, and as Red Sox C Fisk went to field the ball, there was a collision with Armbrister. Fisk continued and picked up the ball, and threw wildly into CF trying to get Geronimo at

2nd. Geronimo reached 3rd and Armbrister 2nd. The Sox claimed interference on the play, but umpire Larry Barnett said no to their pleas. A great controversy raged for days after the game. The ruling was that the collision was not intentional, and so no interference was called. After the play, Pete Rose walked, PH Merv Rettenmund struck out, but Joe Morgan singled to center off LHP Roger Moret to drive home the winning run.

1986 In Game 6 of the American League Championship Series at Boston, the Red Sox beat California 10-4. Each team scored twice in the 1st inning, as both RHP Oil Can Boyd and Kirk McCaskill struggled early. But while Boyd settled down,

McCaskill was knocked out in the 3rd when the Sox scored 5 more runs and coasted to a 10-4 win which evened the series at 3-3. Spike Owen led the Sox with 4 hits and 2 RBI.

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1912 In World Series Game 7 at Boston, New York won 11-4. RHP Joe Wood was the loser as the Giants scored 6 runs in the 1st inning. LF Duffy Lewis had a double, and 3B Larry Gardner a HR for Boston.

1916 Following their World Series victory over Brooklyn, most of the Red Sox players played a barnstorming exhibition game against a semi-pro team at New Haven, CT. Such games were against the Standard Major League Contract which prohibited pennant winners from playing post-season games. The players felt plans were too advanced to cancel the game. To punish the Red Sox players, the National Commission withheld their World Series emblems (diamond-studded miniature baseballs), and fines were also levied.

1946 In World Series Game 7 at St. Louis, Boston lost, 4-3, and the Cardinals captured the World Championship. LHP Harry Brecheen got his 3rd win of the Series in relief of Murray Dickson. The deciding run was scored in the St. Louis 8th inning. Enos Slaughter singled. The next 2 batters were retired, but Harry Walker hit safely to left center, and Slaughter made his famous race from 1st all the way home. Dom DiMaggio's 2-run double in the top of the 8th had tied the game. The Sox threatened in the 9th inning, but left two on base.

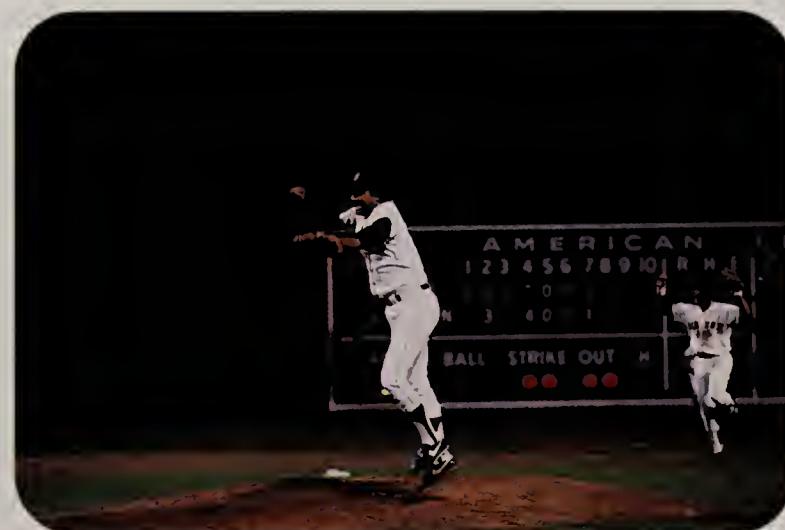
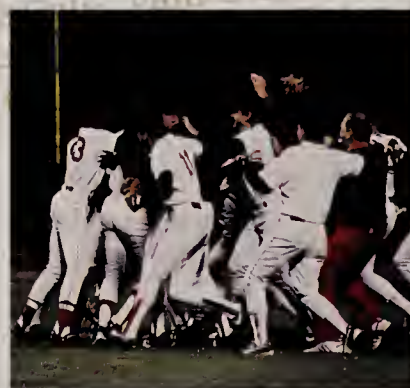
1962 In his 1st act as Boston manager

Johnny Pesky announced the retention of coach Billy Herman, but released coaches Sal Maglie, Rudy York and Len Okrie. Former manager Mike Higgins, who was elevated to executive vice president, had recommended keeping Herman. Ironically, it was Herman who replaced Pesky as manager 2 years later.

1968 In an expansion draft, the Red Sox lost 3B Joe Foy, INF Jerry Adair and P Dave Morehead to the Kansas City Royals and Ps Gary Bell, Dick Baney and Darrell Brandon to the Seattle Pilots.

1975 In World Series Game 4 at Cincinnati, the Red Sox, behind Luis Tiant's 163-pitch CG beat the Reds 5-4. Carl Yastrzemski and Dwight Evans each had 2 hits for Boston. The Sox scored their 5 runs in the 4th inning with Evans' 2-run triple the big hit. Tiant retired Ken Griffey, Sr. and Joe Morgan with 2 on in the 9th to stop the Reds.

1986 In Game 7 of the American League Championship Series at Boston, the Red Sox and RHP Roger Clemens beat the Angels, 8-1, to win the A.L. pennant. A flu-weakened Clemens pitched 7 scoreless innings before tiring in the 8th, when **Calvin Schiraldi** ↓ came in to finish off the Angels. The Sox scored 3 in the 2nd and broke the game open with 4 runs in the 4th highlighted by Jim Rice's 3-run HR. The win gave the Sox their 1st pennant in 11 years. Marty Barrett was hitless for the 1st time in the series, but was named ALCS MVP, hitting .367 (11-30).



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OCTOBER 16

1903 Boston players received \$1,182 each for their share of the World Championship receipts.

1912 In World Series Game 8 at Boston, The Red Sox beat the New York Giants, 3-2, in 10 innings to win the World Championship. Christy Mathewson was the loser, and Smoky Joe Wood the winner in relief of Hugh Bedient. It was Wood's 3rd win of the Series. An incident in this game became known as the famous Snodgrass Muff. In the last half of the 10th inning, and the Giants ahead, 2-1, PH Clyde Engle hit an easy fly ball to CF which Fred Snodgrass dropped allowing Engle to reach 2B. Hooper then flied out to Snodgrass and Yerkes walked. Speaker hit a foul popup near the 1B coach's box which dropped between 3 Giant fielders. Speaker then singled to score Engle with the tying run and advanced Yerkes to 3rd. Lewis walked to load the bases, and Gardner hit a long fly ball to RF to score Yerkes with the winning run. In the 6th inning, Boston RF **Harry Hooper** ↑ made one of the most famous World Series catches. The Giants Larry Doyle hit a long line fly to the temporary bleachers, but Hooper leaned over the low railing, half supported by the fans, and reached up to catch the ball, saving the game.

1941 RHP Dick Newsome (19-10) was named to the rookie Major League All-Star team.

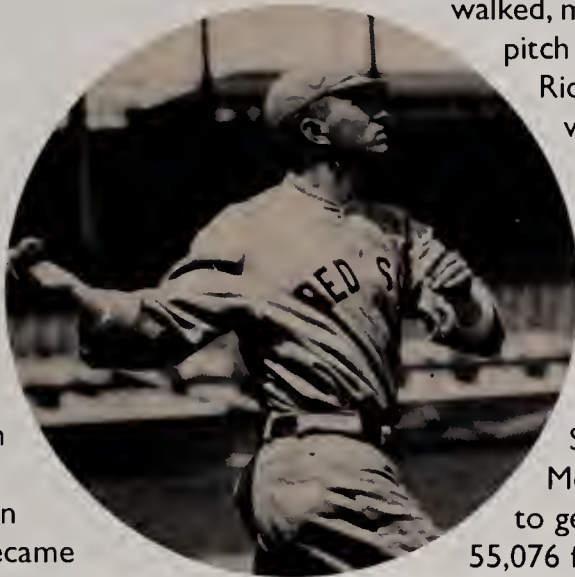
1975 In World Series Game 5 at Cincinnati, the Reds beat the Red Sox, 6-2, with LHP Don Gullett the winner, while Reggie Cleveland took the loss. Tony Perez had 2 HR for Cincinnati.

OCTOBER 17

1940 CF Dom DiMaggio was named to the M.L. Rookie team.

OCTOBER 18

1984 John McNamara was named Red Sox manager succeeding Ralph Houk, who had retired.



1986 In the World Series opener at Shea Stadium, the Red Sox won 1-0. LHP Bruce Hurst and Ron Darling paired up in a brilliant pitchers' duel that was scoreless through 6 innings. Jim Rice scored the game's only run in the 7th after he walked, moved to 2nd on a wild pitch and came home when Rich Gedman's grounder went through 2B Tim Teufel's legs. Hurst allowed only 4 hits and one runner as far as 3rd base before he was lifted for a PH in the top of the 9th inning. RHP Calvin Schiraldi retired the Mets in the last of the 9th to get the save before 55,076 fans. Strong defensive plays by Wade Boggs (7th) and Dave Stapleton (9th) helped secure the win.

1994 Kevin Kennedy was named Red Sox manager to replace Butch Hobson.

OCTOBER 19

1939 Jim Tabor (3B) and Ted Williams (OF) were named to the M.L. Rookie All-Star team.

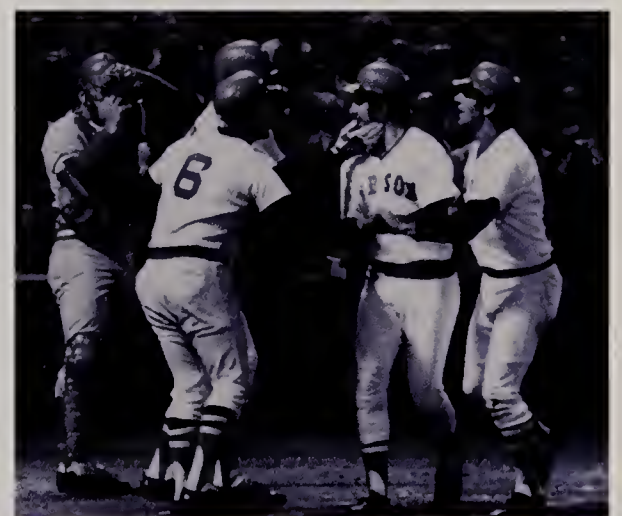
1962 New Red Sox manager Johnny Pesky named a new coaching staff of Harry Dorish (pitching), Harry Malmberg (1B) and Al Lakeman (bullpen).

1986 In World Series Game 2 at Shea Stadium, the Red Sox went 2 up in the Series by winning 9-3. The dream matchup of RHP Roger Clemens and Dwight Gooden didn't last long as neither made it to the 6th inning. The Sox scored 3 in the 3rd as 5 straight hitters reached base. The

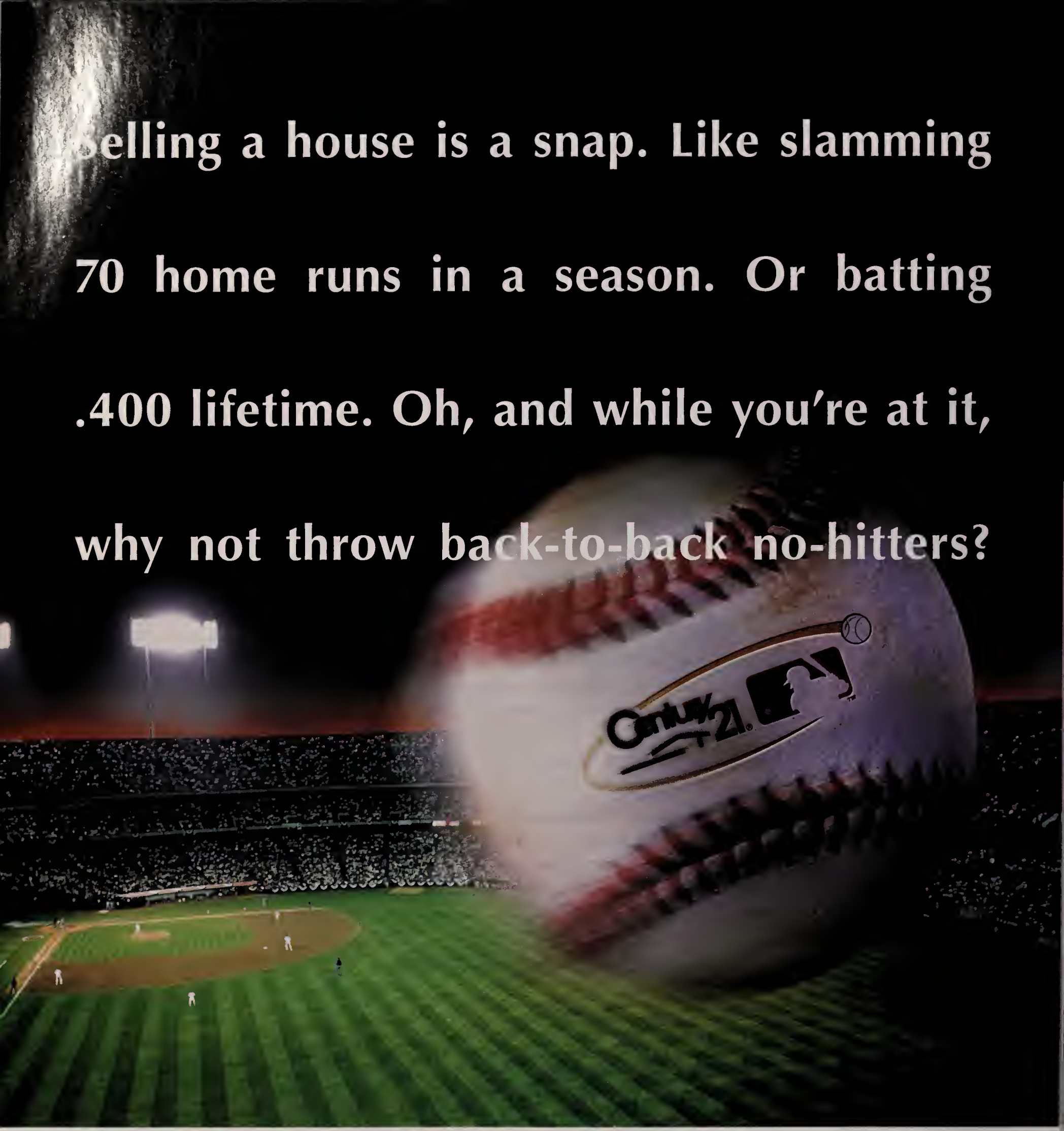
Mets closed to 3-2 in the bottom of the 3rd. A solo HR by Dave Henderson in the 4th, and Dwight Evans' 2-run HR in the 5th finished off Gooden, as the Sox continued to hammer the Mets' bullpen. Clemens, recovering from the flu and pitching on 3 days' rest, was not sharp, but was picked up by Steve Crawford and Bob Stanley who allowed only 4 baserunners in the final 4.2 innings. The Red Sox got 18 hits led by Henderson, Spike Owen and Jim Rice with 3 apiece.

OCTOBER 21

1975 In World Series Game 6 at Boston, the Red Sox won, 7-6, in 12 innings in what many consider the greatest World Series game ever. After a four-day delay caused by a travel day and three postponements due to rainstorms that swept Boston, the Series finally resumed. Eight Reds pitchers appeared with Pat Darcy the loser. Luis Tiant, Roger Moret, Dick Drago and Rick Wise pitched for Boston with Rick Wise the winner. In the 1st inning, Boston's **Fred Lynn** ↓ hit a 3-run HR. In the 5th inning, Cincinnati scored 3 runs. In the 7th inning, Cincinnati added 2 more



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runs and another in the 8th to lead 6-3. In the bottom of the 8th, Bernie Carbo, batting for Moret, hit a 2-out, 3-run HR to tie the score 6-6. The Red Sox had the bases loaded with no outs in an exciting 9th but Denny Doyle was thrown out at the plate after a Fred Lynn short fly ball to LF. In the top of the 11th, RF Dwight Evans made a sensational catch of Cincinnati's Joe Morgan's HR bid and doubled Ken Griffey, Sr. off 1st base. In the bottom of the 12th inning, Boston's 1st batter, **Carlton Fisk** ↑, hit a long blast that caromed off the LF foul pole for a game-ending HR at 12:33 a.m. off Pat Darcy. The game was just over 4 hours long. Carl Yastrzemski had 3 hits for Boston.

1986 In World Series Game 3 at Boston, the Mets defeated the Red Sox 7-1. LHP Bobby Ojeda returned to Boston and became the 1st lefty since 1918 to beat the Sox in a Series game at Fenway Park. Lenny Dykstra led off the game with a HR off RHP Oil Can Boyd as the Mets jumped to an early 4-0 lead. Boyd settled down, but the damage had been done. Ojeda scattered 5 hits through 7 innings, and Roger McDowell finished with 2 perfect innings.

OCTOBER 22

1923 Lee Fohl was appointed Red Sox manager.

1926 Red Sox Manager Lee Fohl resigned.

1951 Lou Boudreau was announced as the new Red Sox manager replacing Steve O'Neill.

1975 In World Series Game 7 at Boston, a 2-out, 9th-inning single by Cincinnati's Joe Morgan drove in Ken Griffey, Sr. with a run that won the game and the World Championship 4-3. LHP Bill Lee had taken a 3-0 lead into the 6th inning, but Tony Perez hit a 2-out, 2-run HR. Pete Rose's 2-out hit tied the score in the 7th. Millions watched this World Series on television, and there was general consensus that it was the best in many years. It established baseball again as the national pastime.



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1986 In World Series Game 4 at Boston, the Mets won, 6-2, to even the Series. RHP Al Nipper made his 1st post-season start (and appearance) and pitched well, but Ron Darling allowed just 4 hits and 0 runs in 7 innings. Gary Carter hit 2 HR with 3 RBI for the Mets.

OCTOBER 23

1986 In World Series Game 5 at Boston, the Red Sox took a 3-2 edge in the Series by beating the Mets 4-2. LHP **Bruce Hurst** → (9IP, 1BB, 6K) blanked the Mets for 7 innings for his 2nd Series win, while Doc Gooden was knocked out in the 5th. Jim Rice and Dave Henderson hit triples for the Red Sox.

OCTOBER 24

1973 RHP Marty Pattin was traded to the Kansas City Royals for RHP Dick Drago.

OCTOBER 25

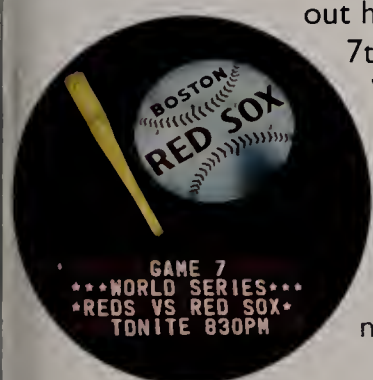
1919 An injunction was granted against A.L. President Ban Johnson that restrained him from suspending Sox RHP Carl Mays.

1934 Manager Bucky Harris was released.

1986 In World Series Game 6 at Shea Stadium, the Mets defeated the Red Sox, 6-5, in 10 innings to even the Series at 3

games apiece. The Sox took an early lead with single runs in the 1st and 2nd, but the Mets tied the game with 2 in the 5th. The Sox regained the lead in the 7th, but when starter Roger Clemens left with a blister after the 7th, the Mets tied it again in the 8th vs. Calvin Schiraldi. The score remained at 3-3 into the 10th when Dave Henderson's leadoff HR put the Sox on top for the 3rd time. Marty Barrett singled home Wade Boggs for an insurance run. The Mets scored 3 runs with 2 outs on 3 singles, a wild pitch and an error to force a 7th game.

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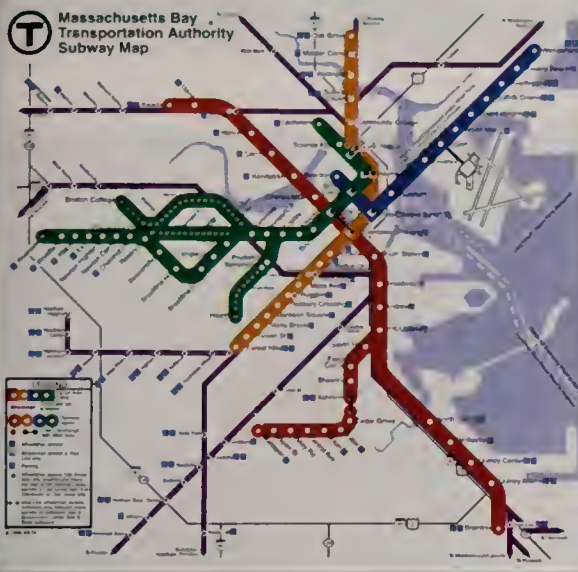
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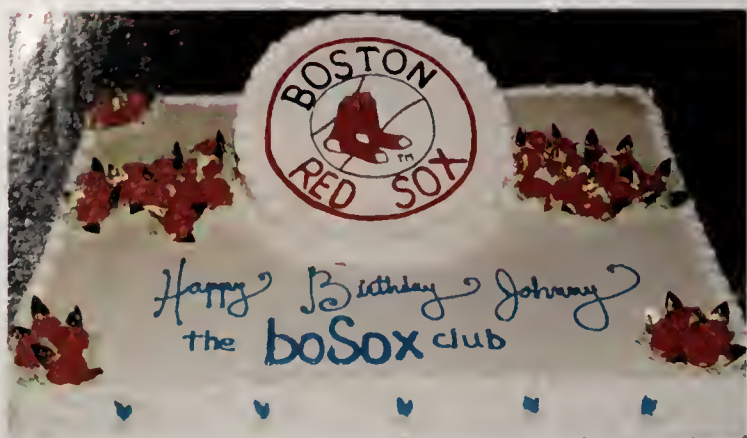
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johnny pesky



The BoSox Club honored longtime Red Sox favorite Johnny Pesky with an early 80th birthday celebration on Wednesday, September 1 at one of their luncheons at Anthony's Pier 4. Johnny's wife, Ruthie, and son, David, were among the family and many friends who joined in the special tribute.



Johnny with wife, Ruthie, and son, David.



Red Sox Manager Jimy Williams and his son, Brady, attended and offer their congratulations to the guest of honor.



Johnny blew out the candles as BoSox Club President Bill Brooks looked on.



Illustrator and caricaturist Eddie Germano presented Johnny with a sketch depicting highlights of his career.



Former teammates and friends Eddie Pellagrini and Dom DiMaggio were on hand to extend birthday greetings to Johnny.

helen robinson



Also attending the luncheon was Helen Robinson, who on September 2 celebrated her 58th year of fielding calls as the Red Sox receptionist and switchboard operator. Red Sox Executive Consultant Lou Gorman presented Helen with a bouquet of flowers to mark the occasion.

dan duquette skills challenge

The Red Sox once again hosted the "Dan Duquette Skills Challenge," at Fenway Park on Wednesday, August 25. The event raised nearly \$100,000 for the Genesis Fund, a non-profit organization that provides funding for the treatment and care of New England-area children born with birth defects. Former Red Sox Skip Lockwood, Joe Morgan, John Kennedy, and Dick Radatz served as special instructors coaching the participants in running, hitting, throwing and fielding tryouts. Nearly 100 people from several corporations took part in the event, and this year 30 youngsters engaged in an hour-long session to test their athletic skills. Red Sox General Manager and Executive Vice President Dan Duquette posed with two of the young athletes who attended the benefit.



alumni get together

On Saturday, June 26 the Red Sox hosted a group of former Red Sox players, coaches and managers for their annual get together at Fenway Park. Approximately 25 New England Red Sox alumni gathered to watch the Red Sox and Pedro Martinez defeat the White Sox, 17-1, and to share in the camaraderie and old-time memories!



Johnny Pesky, Dom DiMaggio and Joe Morgan.



Above: Russ Gibson, Bill MacLeod, Bill Spanswick.

Left: Eddie Pellagrini.



sox talk The Red Sox, in conjunction with the Boston Parks and Recreation Dept., once again hosted their annual "Sox Talk" clinics. This year Red Sox players and coaches traveled to Savin Hill, Dorchester; Roger's Park, Brighton; Daisy Field, Jamaica Plain; Fallon Field, Roslindale; and Jim Rice Field, Roxbury throughout the summer instructing youngsters on the various aspects of baseball. Among the Red Sox players shown here who participated were (clockwise) Brian Daubach, Darren Lewis, Trot Nixon, Damon Buford, and Derek Lowe. Red Sox catcher Creighton Gubanich, infielder Butch Huskey, pitcher Rheal Cormier and Coach Wendell Kim also donated their time to the program.



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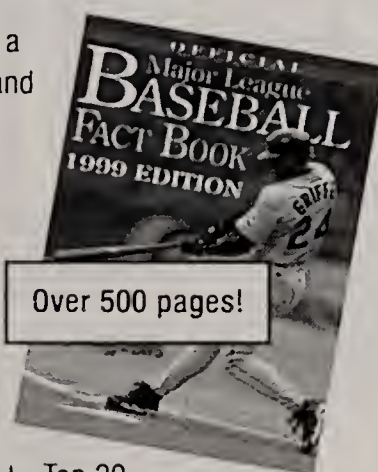
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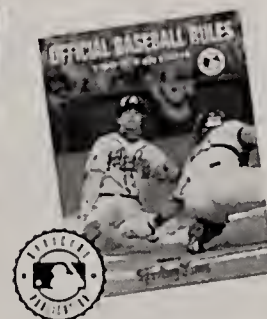
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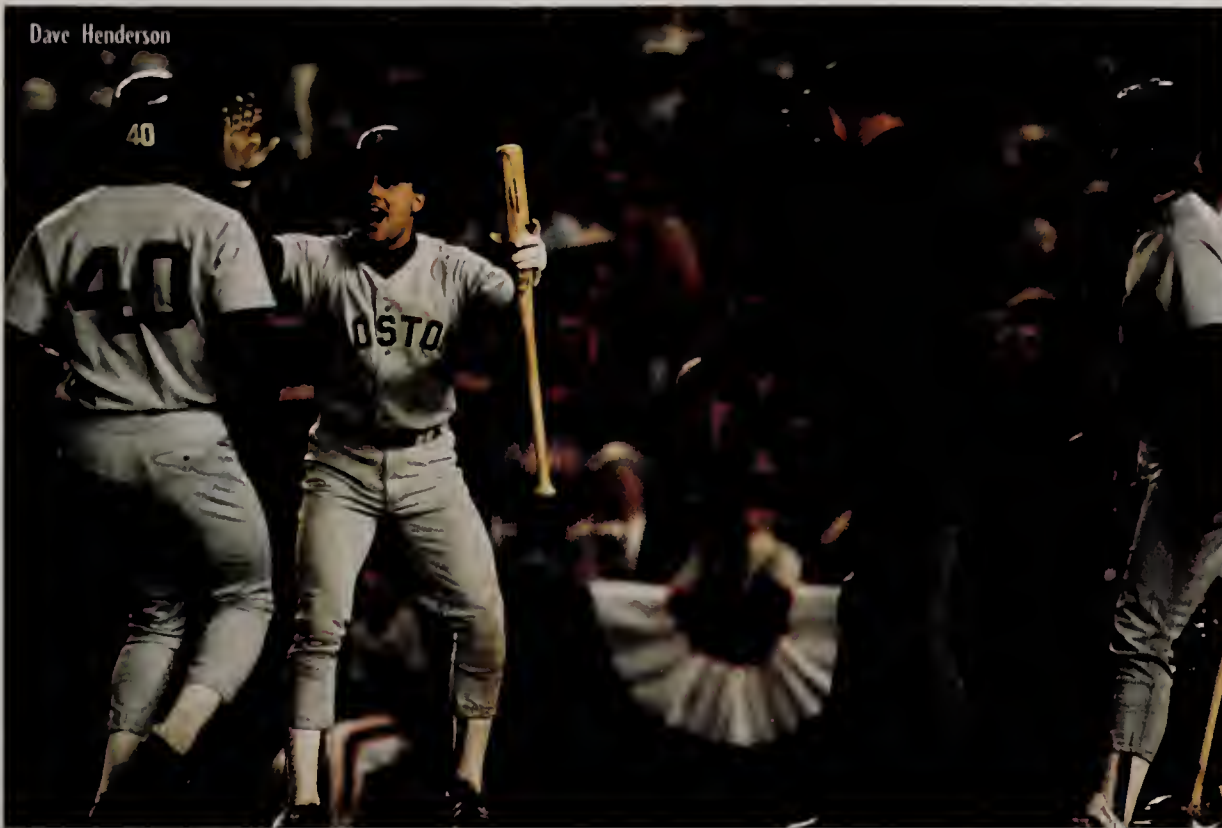


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OCTOBER 26

1934 SS Lyn Lary and \$250,000 went to the Washington Senators for 28-year-old Manager-SS Joe Cronin.

1973 OF Reggie Smith and RHP Ken Tatum were traded to the St. Louis Cardinals for RHP Rick Wise and OF Bernie Carbo.

1986 The World Series game at New York's Shea Stadium was rained out with the Series tied 3-3.

OCTOBER 27

1978 OF Mike Easler was purchased from the Pittsburgh Pirates.

1980 Ralph Houk was named Red Sox manager.

1986 In World Series Game 7 at Shea Stadium, the Mets defeated the Red Sox, 8-5, to win the World Championship. After a rainout the day before, Sox Manager John McNamara chose LHP Bruce Hurst to face RHP Ron Darling. Back-to-back HRs by Dwight Evans and **Rich Gedman** → put the Sox ahead in a 3-run 2nd inning. The score remained at 3-0 until the 6th when the Mets rallied to tie, and then went ahead in the 7th with 3 more including Ray Knight's leadoff HR. Evans' 2-run double in the 8th narrowed the lead to

6-5, but the Mets added 2 more in the bottom of the inning. Jesse Orosco retired the Sox in order in the 9th for the win and title.

Roger Clemens was named The Sporting News A.L. pitcher of the year.

OCTOBER 28

1920 Red Sox Manager Ed Barrow was named the business manager of the New York Yankees.

1958 2B Pete Runnels was named "Comeback Player of the Year." Runnels raised his batting average from .230 to .322 and finished 2nd to Ted Williams for the A.L. batting title, losing out on the last day of the season.

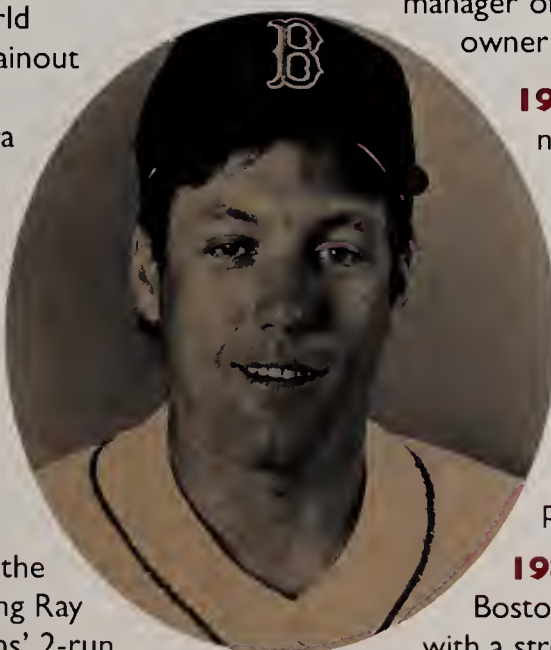
OCTOBER 29

1933 Bucky Harris was appointed as manager of the Red Sox by new owner Tom Yawkey.

1975 CF Fred Lynn was named "A.L. Rookie of the Year."

1984 Former Seattle and Milwaukee manager Rene Lachemann was named 3rd base coach replacing Eddie Yost, and Bill Fischer replaced Lee Stange as pitching coach.

1986 The longest ever Boston baseball season ended with a street parade from Copley



Square to City Hall honoring the Red Sox. 750,000 fans lined the parade route.

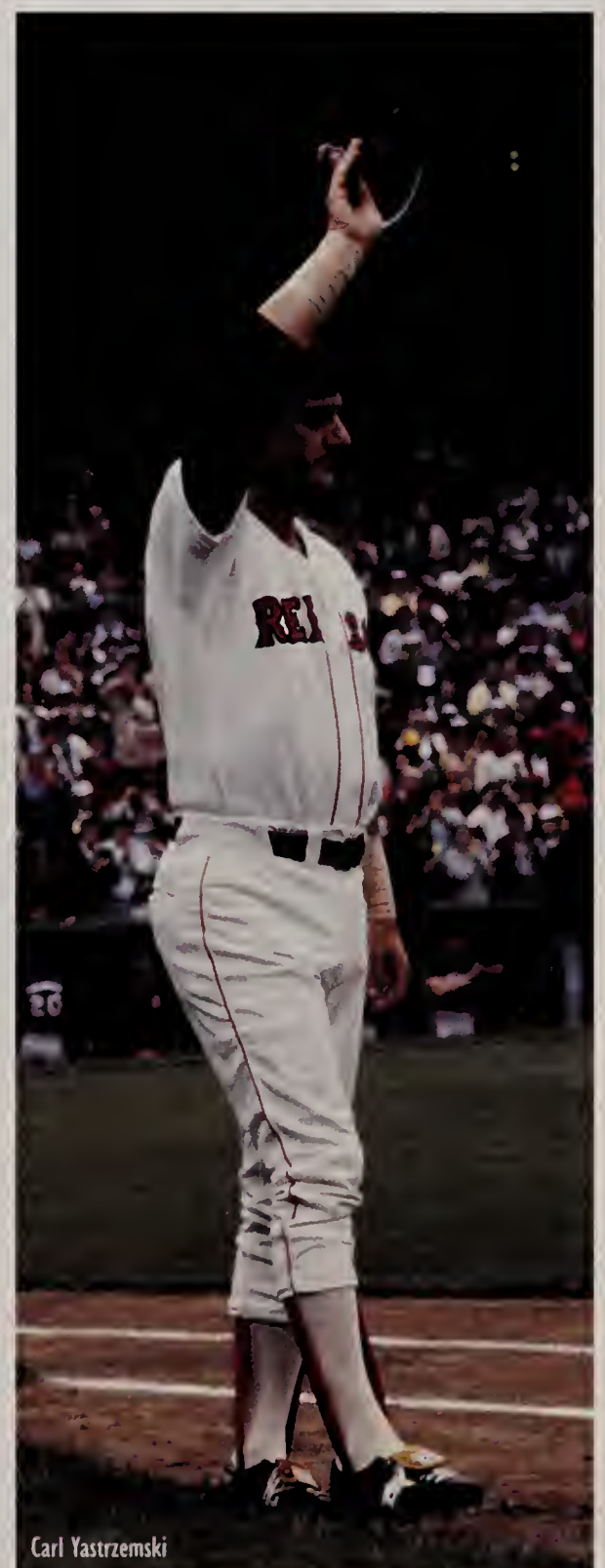
Roger Clemens and Jim Rice were named to the Associated Press All-Star team.

OCTOBER 30

1922 2B Del Pratt and P Rip Collins were traded to the Detroit Tigers for Ps Carl Holling and Howard Ehmke, INF Danny Clark, OF Babe Herman and \$25,000.

1992 Former Red Sox player Mike Easler was signed as the club's major league hitting coach.

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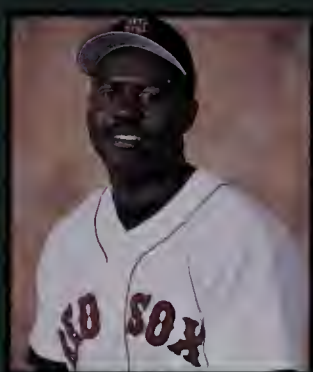
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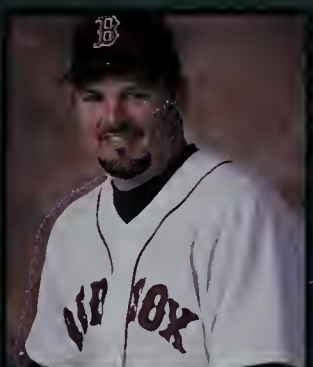
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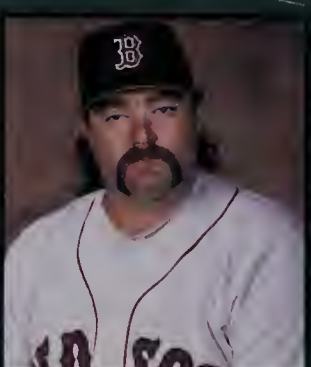
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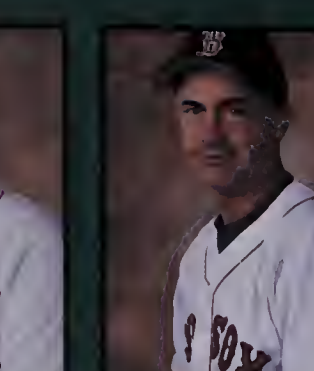
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